WEATHER—Rain tonight and Saturday; warmer tonight, colder in west portion Saturday afternoon, much colder Saturday night.

Maximum temperature, today, 48, at 1:30 p. m. Minimum, 31, at 4 a. m.

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6 ACCUSED IN DRUG RING

WAR IS OPENED ON PRESS GAG PLAN

Defeat of Bill Aimed at Free Speech Asked

MEASURE BEFORE CONGRESS

Would Bar Financial and Baseball Reports

PITTSBURGH.— (By Associated Press.)—Thomas R. Williams, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, today called upon all members of the organization, as well as publishers generally, to use their efforts to defeat house bill No. 6508, on the ground that "no such mischievous interference with press freedom has ever before been seriously proposed in this country."

PROVISIONS OF BILL.

The bill, said Mr. Williams in a statement, "prohibits publication in newspapers of any news likely to lead to gambling. Ostensibly aimed at racing news, it would be equally applicable to a large quantity or variety of financial and other news, such as reports of bank clearings, which have been gambled on in many cities. The unprecedented censorship involved by the bill itself is more than sufficient warrant for its defeat. Its embargo on so much news required for the proper information of business interests is a strong additional reason.

SUPPRESSES BASEBALL.

"No such miscievous interference with press freedom has ever before been seriously proposed in this country. Immediate steps to prevent its going any further are urgently recommended. Its vicious character should be so impressed upon the senate judiciary committee that its defeat will be assured. It is pointed out that it would outlaw even the publication of baseball scores."

Mr. Williams closed his statement by calling on publishers ta make a "determined demonstration" before the judiciary committee in Washington January 10, next.

MILLER ROBBERY BAFFLES POLICE

City Engineer's Home Rifled of $2,500 in Money, Jewels

Police who investigated the mysterious robbery of the home of City Engineer Vaughn Miller, 233 S. Jamison-av, Thursday night, are baffled and have uncovered no clues leading to the identity of the burglars. Money and jewels valued at more than $2,500 were stolen from a bedroom between 6 and 9 p. m., Miller informed the police.

The missing articles include: $1,105 in large bills, contained in a chamois bag, $150 in gold coin, 1 diamond ring, weight one karat, valued $800; 1 ring set with rubies and a diamond, $400; 1 pin, set with rhinestones, value $25.

Four $50 liberty bonds, and box small jewelry containing three valuable rings, a heavy old gold watch, a wrist watch and two $2.50 gold pieces in Miller's dresser were overlooked.

An open window leading to a porch roof evidenced the route taken by the thief in escaping, but it is not known how an entrance was effected.

The money had been in the Miller home two days.

"It took us a long time to save the money," said Miller, "and we denied ourselves of many things to get it. Now that it is gone, I wish it had been spent."

Twice during the evening, "Meg," a pet dog, showed signs of restlessness. A sound or two was heard, but Miller thought it was someone moving about in the half of the house occupied by M. K. Tate, next door.

The Tates have been absent from home, recently. The two attics connect. Miller does not know whether the door leading to his half was locked or not. His front door was unlocked during the afternoon, he remembers.

Part of the money stolen consists of $20 gold certificates.

BANDITS GET $18,000

NEW YORK — Auto bandits bagged a Brooklyn pencil factory paymaster and escaped with $18,000.

ROUSH STILL DEFIES BURKHARDT

REFUSES TO OBEY OUSTER EDICT

Police Chief Ignores Order of Mayor, From Safer

HOLDS HEADQUARTERS FORT

City Executive Angered—New Move Expected

Still maintaining that he is the legally authorized chief of police, O. J. Roush Friday afternoon informed Morton F. Dawson, appointed by Mayor Burkhardt, that he would offer no hindrance to Dawson in directing the department, and requested him to take charge of police affairs

"Two men cannot act, and I am not disposed to be a party to making any such attempt," Roush said.

Roush still carries keys to the station and said Friday he would continue to visit headquarters and report as on duty. He expects to continue to draw his salary, he said.

Dawson had made no demand for Roush's keys up to noon Friday.

"I have been appointed by the mayor and intend to act," Dawson said, "until notified to the contrary. It is not my place to ask for the keys."

Chief of Polire O. J. Roush was removed from office Friday morning when Director of Safety D. W. Dorris served him with an order from Mayor Burkhardt at the police station early in the day.

Roush, after reading the order, informed Dorris that for the present he will refuse to pay any attention to it. Dorris made no comment when informed of the chief's attitude in the matter.

A dispute occurred between Roush and Dorris when the former demanded that Dorris make a return on the order. Dorris at first refused to do so, but finally complied.

ROUSH-DORRIS CLASH

The order signed by the mayor notified Roush he was ousted, the action to become effective immediately. After delivering the paper, Dorris returned to city hall to apprise the mayor that Roush would not get off the job.

Mayor Burkhardt's order was issued late Thursday after he had won a partial victory in common pleas court. Application for a restraining order to enjoin Burkhardt from acting under his letter of December 7 was denied by the court, on the ground that the action was premature.

The court's decision afforded Mayor Burkhardt an opening to issue his order of removal. It was placed in Director Dorris' hands for serving Thursday night. Roush was not served, however, until the following day.

M. F. Dawson, who was named chief of police by Burkhardt was not present at the time the order of removal was placed in Roush's hands and was not in evidence at the station during the early morning hours.

MAYOR INCENSED

When told of Roush's announcement that he intended staying on the job, Mayor Burkhardt was highly incensed.

"Ample means for enforcing my order will be taken," he declared. "There is only one mayor in Lima and this office cannot be made a joke."

Director Dorris posted an order in the station informing the force of the removal of Chief Roush and directing that no orders be taken from anyone save Dawson.

After receiving the orders of removal, Roush immediately sought his attorneys and went into consultation. A plan of action which was not announced was agreed upon.

CONSUMES OVER 2 QUARTS DAILY

BUFFALO, N. Y.—(By Associated Press) — William F. Wendt, millionaire manufacturer of Buffalo and Los Angeles, was declared incompetent to handle his own affairs by a jury here today. The case was given to the jurors yesterday and their verdict was reported today.

Wendt's eccentricities, according to evidence included the giving up of his home here to live in a cheap hotel. He was a heavy whiskey drinker, one of the witnesses testified, his average indulgence being three pints during a day and a quart at night.

RADICALS MAY BE DRIVEN FROM U. S.

Agitators in Kansas Strike Likely to be Deported

WARRANTS OUT FOR WOMEN

Wholesale Arrests in the Coal Fields Planned

PITTSBURGH, Kansas — (By Associated Press) — While national guardsmen patroled the Kansas coal field today, Richard J. Hopkins, state attorney general, and C. A. Burnett, prosecuting attorney of Crawford-co, studied evidence at hand against a large number of persons with a view of issuing warrants in connection with strike disorders which earlier in the week threw the district into turmoil and resulted in the sending here of troops to protect non-strikers, members of the international mine workers' union.

Possible deportation proceedings against alien agitators and radicals in the district also were being contemplated by federal officials, it was said. According to reports here a large proportion of the men on strike are nat naturalized Americans.

WARRANTS FOR WOMEN

Three warrants have been issued early today by state officials in connection with the disorders. One charged assault and battery and two disturbing the peace. According to Mr. Burnett, some of the warrants to be issued will be for women who led crowds of female strike sympathizers in riotous demonstrations at a number of mines to prevent non-strikers from going to work.

Union men employed at more than half a dozen mines had voted to go to work during the day. They had been kept away from the mines as a result of the women's activities, according to reports to the international union here. Those officials said today that they would not be surprised to find a number of miners who have been on strike returning during the next twenty-four hours.

Reports were current today that crowds of women were preparing to renew their demonstrations at the mines.

FLU HITS YANKS

COBLENZ — One hundred and fifty American soldiers are suffering from influenza. No deaths have ocurred and there is but little pneumonia.

CATERPILLAR PARADE

MELBOURNE—Myriads of caterpillars are passing over the lower part of the river at Murillwumbah, on the border of New South Wales and Queensland. Eating and working over the ground, they sound like rustling wind.

NAVY PROGRAM IS AGAIN BLOCKED

France Demands Equal Ratio With Japan's Allotment

ITALY WILL FOLLOW SUIT

Paris Government Plans Building 10 Great Battleships

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — The French delegation has presented a proposal for so great an increase in the strength of the French navy that the British declare such a program if carried out would upset the whole plan for a 5-5-3 naval reduction.

Altho not yet entirely revealed, the British understand that the French plan provides for the construction of ten 35,000 ton superdreadnaughts in the ten years subsequent to 1925. These vessels, of a type similar to the American battleship Maryland, would give France a capital ship tonnage of 350,000 as against 315,000 for Japan and a preponderance of new "Post-Jutland' 'type craft over all nations.

ITALY'S POSITION

Italy, altho indicating disapproval of such a building program, is said to have told the arms conference that if France constructs ten such ships she must carry out a similar building program.

The combined French and Italian fleets thus would be some 200,000 tons stronger than the British and American allotments under the revised figures agreed on yesterday by the big three.

The question of French and Italion naval ratio, as compared with the 5-5-3 standings assigned to the United States, Great Britain and Japan under yesterday's agreement, was taken up by the sub-committee of fifteen, meeting today.

40 PER CENT INCREASE

No official word has come from the conference, however, as to what tonnage France has asked, but if France has asked for 350,000 tons, it would represent about forty per cent increase in her present capital ship strength measured in terms of modern dreadnaught or superdreadnaught tonnage. She has afloat today approximately 168,000 tons in such ships, while Italy has about 136,000 tons. Both navies include a comparatively small tonnage in pre-dreadnaught battleships.

Should it ultimately be determined that the principles of the American proposal are to govern the French and Italian ratios as well as those of Great Britain, the United States and Japan, there would be no substantial increase in the present modern capital ship tonnage of the two European powers. France now stands on the basis of completed ships at less than a forty per cent relative strength, if the American strength as estimated in the 5-5-3 proposal should be taken as 100 per cent. In other words if France were bracketed into the 5-5-3 ratio, her place would be less than two and Italy slightly below that.

THREATENS WHOLE PROGRAM

The British spokesman said today that the French proposals, if acceded to, would throw out the whole naval program. He declared it had met with distinct disapproval from the British delegation.

The British spokesman further declared that Italy did not approve of the French proposition for if it was carried out Italy would be obliged to build in the same amount. This meant, he said, an addition of 700,000 tons to the European war fleets.

The ten ships which France and Italy would build under this plan would cost roughly 10,000,000 pounds each.

SHE'S A MAYOR AT 23

Dr. Amy Kankonen, 23, was recently elected mayor of Fairport, O. In her platform she pledged to rid the town of bootleggers. Mrs. Harding and other leading women of the country have wired their congratulations upon her election.

IRISH TREATY RATIFIED BY BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Free State Pact Adopted by Overwhelming Majorities

MAY BE WRECKED BY DAIL

Opposition to the Convention Growing in Dublin

LONDON—(By Associated Press) —Both houses of the British parliament ratified the treaty creating the Irish free state by overwhelming majorities this afternoon.

After final arguments in favor of ratification, presented in the house of commons by Austen Chamberlain, the government leader, and in the house of lords by Lord Chancellor Brinkenhead, both houses voted emphatic rejection of the Unionist amendments to the king's address from the throne. If these amendments had been adopted, it would have had the effect of killing the treaty.

PACT THREATENED

LONDON.— (By Associated Press.)—Members of the imperial parliament and the Dail Eireann at Dublin gathered again today for continued discussion of the Irish peace treaty. There was slight hope that a decision would be reached today by the Dail, which again met in secret, and it was thought that the public session at which the vote would be taken would not be held until tomorrow and possibly might be deferred until next week.

DEVALERA'S POSITION.

Eamon De Vulera, who according to some rumors, was winning many of the waverers to the opposition, was credited by the Daily Mail's Dublin correspondent with the intention of making the Dail to vote codicils to the treaty which would alter its character, especially regarding the oath of allegiance. If these were adopted, he would, it was said, ask for their consideration at a fresh conference in London.

Another report said that Erskine Childers, secretary of the peace delegation which signed the agreement in London, was now strongly opposing its ratification. Another described the debate as being conducted over a volcano which might wreck the efforts of the peace makers.

5 HURT IN WRECK

Big Four Train is Overturned at Shelby, Ohio

NORWALK, O.—(By Associated Press.)—Five persons were injured when a northbound Big Four passenger train was wrecked at a derail at Shelby, Ohio, at six o'clock this morning, according to information received at the Big Four offices here.

Three coaches overturned. One of the cars fell from a bridge into a ranch fork at the Mohican river. All of the injured were taken to a hospital at Galion.

HARDIN-CO PEOPLE UNDER CHARGES

Arrests to be Made Saturday by Toledo Federal Officers

PROMINENT MEN ARE NAMED

No Connection Between Dope Peddlers and Kershaw Murder

Working for several weeks on the case, Federal Narcotic Agent Edmond H. Staley of Toledo announced Friday that one of the biggest dope rings over operated in Ohio, with headquarters in and around Lima, wil be revealed when suspects now under surveillance at Kenton and Mt. Victory are arrested and brought to trial.

Staley said Friday that he will go to the Hardin-co towns Saturday, accompanied by Deputy United States Marshal Stephen Frankowski, for the purpose of making a number of arrests. Warrants were secured late Thursday, charging conspiracy to violate the Harrison Drug act, against these persons:

Earl Tapp, grain dealer.

Dr. B. A. Martin, 80, of Mount Victory and wife.

Dr. J. J. Boone, physician and druggist, Mount Victory.

Dr. C. A. Trapkey, veterinary surgeon, Mt. Victory.

Dr. O. C. Pettiford, veterinary surgeon, Kenton.

INVESTIGATION STARTED

Arrest on November 22 at Lima, of Earl Tapp, started Agent Staley on the investigation which has proven startling even to the federal officers in view of the immensity of alleged operations and the persons accused as being involved. More are suspected, including several Lima people, Staley said.

Arrest of the persons named in the warrants was promised at once by deputy United States marshals from Toledo who will set out Saturday morning for Mt. Victory and Kenton. The suspects will be taken to Toledo for a commissioner's hearing. Heavy bonds will be fixed, it was forecasted.

Federal Judge Killits has taken a great interest in the case and it was on his suggestion that Staley decided to charge the persons with conspiracy. This charge gives the government great leeway in its prosecution and a heavier punishment in case of conviction is possible.

Tapp's recent arrest in Lima when he called at the express office for 106 ounces of morphine and cocaine, paved the way and accounts for the government agents' declaration that there is no connection between the dope ring and the recent murder of Joseph Scott Kershaw. This statement was made a week ago by The Lima News and is veritified by the federal officer.

EXPLANATION UNSATISFACTORY

The explanation Tapp gave as to how he came to call, on the night of November 22, at the express office for the packages of dope was unsatisfactory to Agent Staley.

"That any one would believe Tapp's story that two strangers gave him $720 in Kenton with which to pay the C. O. D. charges on the drugs being shipped in from St. Louis is out of the question," Staley declares.

Dr. Martin became involved thru the fact that the blank on which the drugs were ordered from St. Louis was one of his own. The order called for the shipment of the morphine and cocaine to "B. A. Martin & Co. Lima."

Agent Staley says the drugs were shipped to Lima because it was a more convenient shipping point. On interviews Staley had with the aged Mt. Victory doctor, the latter absolutely refused to divulge any information as to how this order blank got into the hands of those who put in the order, the agent asserts.

It is significant that Dr. Martin surrendered all his order forms to the Internal Revenue Collector on July 1, saying he would not deal in the drugs any longer.

Staley believes that in the arrest of Dr. Boone, Mt. Victory druggist, he has the person who has been the principal supply agent for peddlers distributing the narcotics to addicts and other vendors thruout central Ohio and possibly to all points in the state.

BOONE STORE RAIDED.

Two days ago Staley raided Boone's drug store and seized all the narcotics in the place. The seizure included 61 eighth-ounce bottles of morphine. This amounted to seven and a half ounces; enough, Staley claims, to fill the prescriptions of all the doctors and druggists in Lima for two years for legitimate purposes.

Dr. Boone is considered a very wealthy man at Mt. Victory. He is owner of the Dime Bank there. Dr. Martin's wife is involved thru the doctor's own statement that she has had charge of the forms for ordering morphine and cocaine.

Trapkey claims he used the drugs for horses being treated. The fact that he prescribed in doses of one-fourth grain causes Staley to doubt the truth of the statement. In administering drugs to a horse no dose less than two grains is given because of the failure of the animal to respond to smaller injections, Staley says he ascertained.

Staley will introduce correspondence and papers when the time comes, he says, which will show that the ring expected to make $50,000 on its sale of the St. Louis supply of drugs alleged to have been handled by Tapp. This money was to be split three ways, it is alleged.

"BLOC" DEFIES PRESIDENT HARDING AND WEEKS

BY HARRY HUNT)

WASHINGTON — (Special) — "The senators who have been fighting the cause of agriculture will continue their battle."

This is the answer of Senator Capper of Kansas, one of the leaders of the "agricultural bloc" in the Senate, to the plea of President Harding for party solidarity in Congress, and to the threatening strictures of Secretary of War Weeks in a recent speech in New York.

The sum total of the Harding-Weeks lectures to the "bloc" has been to make it more than ever determined to stand by its demands that agriculture shall receive as fair a deal as banks, railroads and the manufacturing industries.

BLOC'S OBJECTIVES

The bloc has before it definite objectives, including:

ONE—A cooperative farm marketing bill.

TWO—The placing of a representative of agriculture on the Federal Reserve Board.

THREE—Rural credit legislation, giving the farmer greater latitude in negotiating necessary loans for agricultural purposes.

FOUR—The repeal of the guarantee clause of the Esch-Cummins railroad bill.

Some of the measures it will oppose, even tho made party issues by the administration:

ONE—Ship subsidy.

TWO—Extending to the executive authority, thru the tariff commission, to adjust tariff rates as conditions may seem to justify.

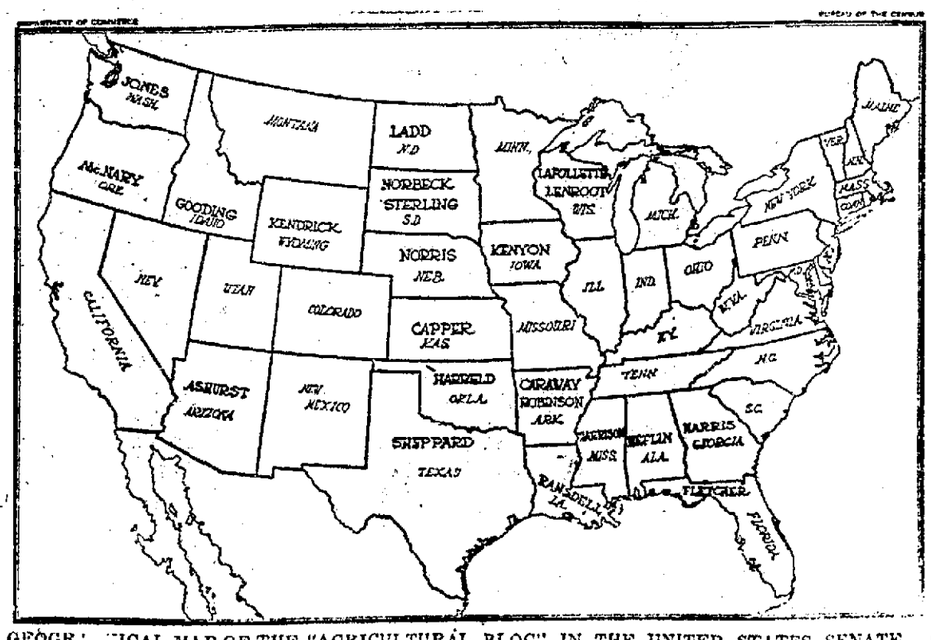
THREE—Further reduction of surtax rates on large incomes in any revision of revenue law.

Altho there has been no definite position taken with respect to any offer that may be submitted to the Senate, on behalf of Henry Ford for lease or purchase of the Muscle Shoals power and nitrate plants, it is stated the "bloc" looks favorably upon the Ford proposition and will support any "reasonable" offer by Ford.

BLOC'S POWER

Altho in the "bloc" proper there are but 22 senators, of whom 12 are Republicans and 10 are Democrats, an equal number are found siding with them from time to time in such manner as to enable them to wield the balance of power on many votes.

Kellogg and Nelson of Minnesota, Cummins of Iowa and Curtis of Kansas have been forced, by pressure of local sentiment, to join the "bloc" on many votes, altho they are by preference politically "regular."



GEOGRAPHICAL MAP OF THE "AGRICULTURAL BLOC" IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE. GEOGRAPHICALLY IT APPEARS NOT MERELY A "BLOCK," BUT THE MAIN TRUNK OF OUR NATIONAL TREE.

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CABLE CHEERED AS HE GIVES G. O. P. HARD JOLT

Hailed by Democrats When Slush Fund is Attacked

REPUBLICANS ARE SILENT

Lima Representative Wants Safeguard in Elections

WASHINGTON — (Special)—The first criticism that any member of the House has uttered against the "slush fund methods" alleged to have been used in the 1918 primaries in Michigan which nominated Truman H. Newberry for Senator, came Thursday from the Republican side.

It was delivered by Representative John L. Cable, of Lima, author of a bill designed to form a new corrupt practices act, and to prevent either a candidate or his friends, independently of him, literally purchasing a seat in either chamber.

Thruout his short address, Mr Cable was cheered repeatedly on the Democratic side, but the Republicans maintained an ominous silence. It was made during discussion of an election contest and caused consternation among the leaders.

"Every member of the House and the Senate is opposed to a rich man buying a seat in Congress," asserted Mr. Cable

"But," he added, "we must give to every man a chance for his election One way to do it, and the intent of all these election laws, is to give publicity to expenditures and means of obtaining votes.

"That publicity must be before election as well as after. We have seen the case of a man who has been convicted of the crime of conspiracy against Section 3 of the Corrupt Practices act in spending a huge amount of money for election, and the case reversed by the Supreme Court.

"The Court said that primary elections were not in existence at the time the Constitution went into force and therefore the Constitution did not give to Congress the right to legislate as to primary elections. We should immediately enact a law that will protect an honest man in his campaign for a seat in Congress."

ROOSEVELT AN IDEAL FATHER, LIMA CLUBMEN ARE TOLD BY CHAPLAIN

Speaking before a joint meeting of the "Y" 4-Men's club and the Lions club at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday night, Dr T. W. Kellogg, veteran chaplin of the Ohio State Reformatory, Mansfield, said:

"Most boys go wrong at the period of adolescence, between the ages of 12 and 18, and the biggest job in the world is to be a good father, to prevent boys from getting away from the parental directorship and go bad during that period

"Roosevelt was an ideal father He used the best method in governing boys, not to break their will Make the will power of the boy strong and self-supporting and you will mould a type of manhood such as Roosevelt typified.

"The business of being a father is as poorly done as anything we can think of. A father should be responsible for his son until the latter reaches the age of 35, at least. The big thing is for the father to understand the boy," Dr. Kellogg said.

More than 100 heard the address The joint meeting was in the form of a father and son affair, and followed a banquet.

NO TAGS ON FLIVVER, DRIVER DRAWS FINE

"I haven't a nickel," Gerald Ax, 208 W. McKibben-st, told Judge Jackson, Friday.

"Then you will have to go to jail," the court ruled.

Gerald is 22 and is an employe of the Ford agency. He was piloting a new car thru Market-st, when Motorcycle Cop Dick Watkins hove in sight.

A glance at the flying flivver told the officer that it was naked of license tags.

"You're in for a talk with the judge," Watkins told him Judge Jackson named the usual "five berries" as the amount of the fine.

EVERY STYLE OF EVERSHARP PENCILS MADE — ROSE, THE JEWELER, 116 WEST HIGH.

WIND, RAIN IS THE OFFERING

"A short horse is soon curried." When the weatherman hasn't anything better in line of predictions, he just naturally falls back onto a rain forecast.

So much for the outlook but it doesn't always pan out. Snow or rain for last night—there's a sample of the unreliability of the weather bureau and the oft repeated failure of predictions to be realized.

However, we're on the edge of another deep forecast for tonight and Saturday. Better have umbrellas, rain coats and goloshes ready.

"Twill be warmer tonight, colder in west portion Saturday afternoon and much colder Saturday night.

Strong south and southwest winds are scheduled, too. We've had little of that sort of thing thus far this winter, but seem to be "in for" a spell of it.

SPENCERVILLE COUPLE TRY SECOND VENTURE ON MATRIMONIAL SEA

"If you don't believe we are old enough to marry, you can look at our teeth."

With this suggestion, Christian William Seymour Simon, 64, section foreman, Spencerville, accompanied by Mrs. Hannah Catherine Orcutt, 64, Spencerville, appeared at the marriage license parlors in the courthouse late Thursday

The bride is the widow of the late John Orcutt. She is the mother of three grown children. Simon is the father of five children They were accompanied by Simon's son-in-law, who conveyed them to the court house in his automobile

For some years the two have known each other. Both were lonely, they said. They decided to marry, even tho well up in years. They announced that Rev. Mr Hammond, pastor of the Christian church, Spencerville, would officiate at the ceremony, Thursday night.

"It was about the happiest couple to whom I have issued a license in many months," said Miss Jessie Miller, marriage license clerk.

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WITH APOLOGIES

BY OH! OH! JACKENRIM

A Page From the Note-Book of An Antiquated Reporter:—Up and with a poignant headache, and no cause therefor. Then back to my chamber where I read again the master love story of the ages as penned by Alphonse Daudet. A pretty tayle, it is, when only the true is sought, for Sappho was a happy soit, in marked contrast albeit to the beatific piggishness of these tymes.

To lunch with Howard Dean, the banker, and among the best posted financiers he is said to be. And up Elizabeth to Market, meeting Tom McLaughlin, the architect, in a brave topcoat, very pretty it was and of good taste, his usual failing in clothes. And Louie Keppler, the one-time boniface, newly come from California and soon to return thereto

Signs in windows of garages proclaiming "Cash Only for Repairs after January 1st." But they will sopn change back to the run-after-it plan. Harry Soloman, the Columbus banker, here for the day Great success has Harry made in the Capital. Home and greeted by a gay note from coming visitors. And we with no maid, and poorer prospects. Selah!

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Marmon Brothers' new drug front has eliminated for all time the old elevator entrance of the Faurot, or opera house block. Morning after morning, as accurately as the clock did point to eight, the veteran financier, Benjamin F Faurot, was wont to step from his light-weight phaeton and enter hereon His offices on the third floor were the de luxe business suite of the city. Here came some of the most famed financiers of the decade, including former Governor Charles Foster, whom I saw therein one day. And it befel to me once upon a time to type a letter offering $30,000 to the builder for his remaining rights in the old C. L. & M. That before the day of the traction, and following much litigation. The New Yorkers who made the offer even then well knew the veteran had no rights; but sturdy fighter he was he refused, and six weeks later the Supreme court held against him—$30,000 he could at least have had as a gift!

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And the passing of the last signs of that old elevator shaft also recalls the days of the Buckeye gallants installed in that edifice. Then it was they were the aristocracy of the sons of lighter toil. Bookkeepers, telegraphers, accountants, runtable experts and the like. Playmates drew $90 a month at the Buckeye while the rest of us in printeries and freight houses labored long hours for $65. And those days too it was that Charlie Mooney, Charlie Hollister, Eddie Kirk, Jerry Orthwine, Leo Christen and others "kinged" it over the whole town. Pikers the rest of us surely were.

ST. RITA'S GUILD OPENS FLOWER SALE FOR BENEFIT OF HOSPITAL LINEN FUND

Sale of blooming potted plants, Christmas greens and Yule-tide decorations was opened Friday morning by St. Rita's guild in the Domestic building, Market and Westerts, for the benefit of the linen fund of St. Rita's hospital.

Linens at the hospital have been rapidly depicted and the guild, which makes an effort in every way to assist all departments of the hospital, undertook sale of the flowers to increase the treasury.

Only the choiest plants, blooms and greens are offered. Miss Leona O'Connor, chairman of the committee in charge, will superintend sale of the flowers each day. Christmas trees are also available.

The sale will continue until Christmas eve. The room may be reached by telephone for placing orders Miss A M Finckh is chairman of the guild, sponsoring sale of the flowers.

MRS. ELIZABETH HORN DIES OF COMPLICATION

Mrs. Elizabeth Horn, 58, Wapakoneta, died at City hospital, Friday at 10:45 a. m., from a complication of diseases, after an illness of six weeks Blood transfusion, resorted to several days ago, failed in results. Mrs. Horn was born in Auglaize-co.

She is survived by three sons and a daughter. They are Raymond Horn, 1431 Lowell-av, Lim; Howard Horn, Robert Horn and Miss Hilda Horn, of Wapakoneta.

Burial will be in Wapakoneta Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

LIMA BOY IS HONORED AT MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

James W. Halfhill, Jr., son of Mr and Mrs. James W. Halfhill, 127 N Collett-st has been elected to honorary membership in the Galen Honorary Medical Society, University of Michigan, according to a message from Ann Arbor, Friday Th young man is a student at the Michigan university

3 HINTS FOR SHOPPERS

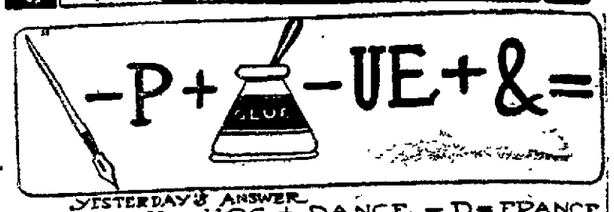
To learn the name of the stores having the articles described in this column call the Lima News shopping column editor. Simply mention the date on which the article was printed and its number in the column. Prices are subject to change.

1. Good looking purses and bags for children make neat gifts. They may be had from $1.00 to $2.50.

2. Very attractive glass candy jars are being shown this year rather extensively. Nice ones may be had for $1.00.

3. Eversharp silver and gold pencils are found to be among the most popular of gifts. In silver they may be had for $1.00; in gold, $3.00.

? Geographic Puzzles ?



YESTERDAY'S ANSWER
FROG + H — HOG + DANCE — D = FRANCE

TAKEN FOR FIGHTING, ZIMMERMAN DRAWS FINE AND SUSPENDED SENTENCE

As the result of a family row, L. Zimmerman, 50, insurance agent, 125 W. McKibbon-st, paid a $10 fine and was given a suspended sentence of 30 days in Toledo workhouse, when arraigned in a charge of fighting, in criminal court Friday.

Zimmerman and his wife are separated, having been apart about three weeks. Thursday night he went to the home and attacked W. A. Ferrall, a lodger, it was charged.

He told th ecourt he objected to the man's attentions to his wife, charging that Ferrell tried to kiss her about eight weeks ago. He also said he wanted to protect his daughter Esther, 18.

Both the wife and the daughter refuted the defendant's story.

A fight in which Zimmerman is alleged to have comt out second best, occurred when he went to his wife's place of residence. Esthr, the daughter telephoned for the police.

"Keep away from your wife," and obey the agreement, Judge Jackson told him, or you'll take a trip to Toledo."

G. A. R. NOTICE

The regular meeting, Mart Armstrong Post G. A. R., No. 202, will be held at the Post room at 1.30 p. m., Saturday, December 17. W. D. Heffner, Commander.

ROSE'S SILVERWARE SALE — EVERY PIECE GUARANTEED — ROSE, THE JEWELER, 116 WEST HIGH STREET.

RETIRED FARMER ANSWERS SUMMONS OF GRIM REAPER

Levi Crites, 71, retired farmer, Amanda-tp, died Friday, after an illness of several years from cancer. He was born in Allen-co and had spent his entire life in the county.

He is survived by two children, Harry Crites, Amanda-tp, and Mrs. Cora Hood, Lima. Two brothers, Charles Crites, Spencerville, and two sisters, Mrs. Rebecca Roberts, Middlepoint, and Mrs. Malinda Alder, Galion, are left.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 10 a. m. at the United Brethren church, Kempton. The Rev. Mr. Frank will officiate. Interment will be in the Allentown cemetery.

TREASURER ANNOUNCES TAX COLLECTION DATES

For the convenience of residents in various parts of the county, H. E. Botkins, treasurer, has announced a number of places at which taxes will be collected by representatives of the office within the next few days.

Beginning Monday, taxes will be received at the Harrod State bank, Harrod; at the Farmers' and Merchants' bank, Beaverdam, December 20; at Farmers' bank, Elida, December 21; at People's bank, Delphos, December 28 and 29; at Citizen's bank, Spencerville, December 23; at Lafayette bank company, Lafayette, December 27 and at the Commercial Building and Savings company, Bluffton, December 22.

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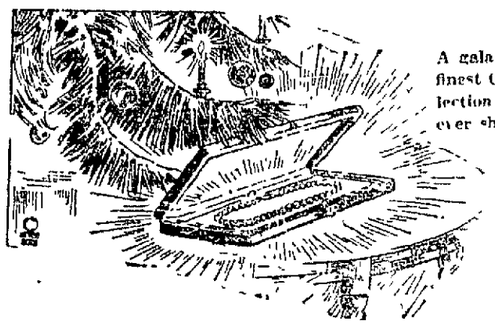

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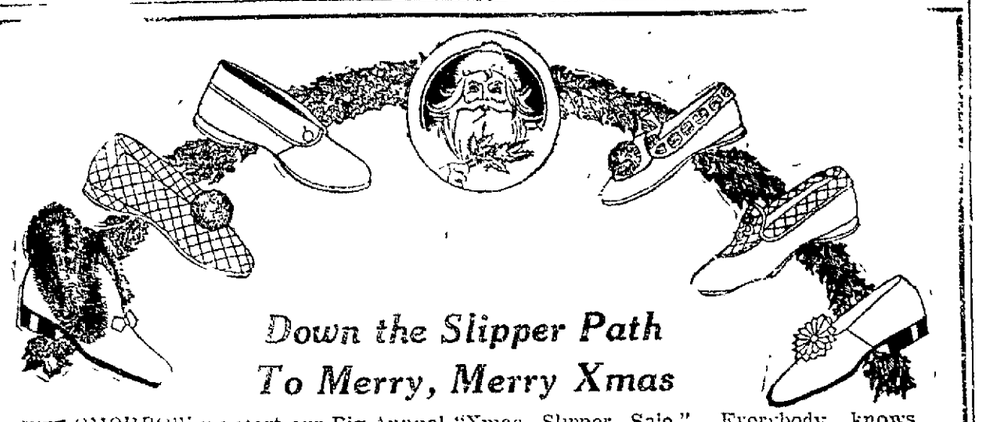

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To Merry, Merry Xmas

TOMORROW we start our Big Annual "Xmas Slipper Sale." Everybody knows what that means. The event to which thousands annually look forward as their solution of the "What to Give Problem" We can't begin to describe them all, but there are Slippers here to please everyone.

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CHILD'S WOOL HOSE
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—extra good quality children's black hose, all sizes at 49c pair.

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Lima's Greatest Toyland---"Specials"

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$1.67
SATURDAY—Here is a gift the little girl will appreciate—wire bed with cretonne covered mattress and two pillows at $1.67—Toyland.

$2.50 Tool Chests $1.47
—all kinds of tools—for the boy, packed in substantial wooden box and specially priced at $1.47—Toyland.

$1.50 Red Tables 87c
—a good substantial red table for the kiddies, of bright red wood—priced at 87c.

$1.25 Large Teddy Bear 79c
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$1.50 Billy Whisker Books 97c
—A big edition of Billy Whisker—beautifully colored pictures, a big value at 97c.

$4.50 English Doll Carts $2.69
Black cart with rubber tired wheels and hood, a big value and priced at $2.69.—Basement

$2.00 *Value*
Erector Sets
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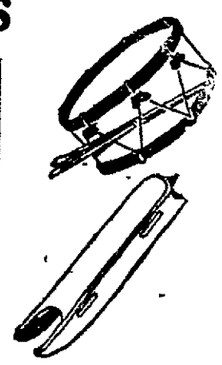
A very educational toy—broadens the mind of the boys—a very special price at $1.37.



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Men's Knit Neckwear 95c
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Men's Wool English Hose 95c
SATURDAY—Men's English wool hose, to wear with oxfords this winter, in colors, all sizes and priced at 95c pair.

Men's Silk Madras Shirts $2.45
SATURDAY—Men's silk madras shirts, attractive patterns, cut full and all sizes, specially priced at $2.45.

Men's Auto Driving Gloves $1.89
SATURDAY—If he owns a car he surely will want a pair of these auto driving gloves, lined and priced at $1.89 pair.

Men's Fibre Silk Shirts $3.95
SATURDAY—Men's pretty all silk fibre shirts, neat patterns and colors in all sizes and specially priced at $3.95.

Men's All Wool Caps $1.69
SATURDAY—Men's fine all wool caps with ear tabs, all colors, a big value and very specially priced at $1.69.

Men's Dress Kid Gloves $1.25
SATURDAY—Men's kid gloves, lined and unlined in grey and tan, a big value and specially priced at $1.25 pair.—Main floor.

Domestic Specials

24c 30 Inch Heavy White Outing ..... 19c Yard
17c Best Grade Apron Ginghams ..... 13c Yard
60c Fancy Art Tickings—Assorted Colors 49c
65c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, Blackhawk Brand .. 50c Yard
20c Cheviot Shirtings, Striped and Checks .... 15c Yard
18c Fancy Stripe Outings ..... 14c Yard
—2nd floor.

EXTRA! CHRISTMAS SALE
A Sale of $5 to $8 Leather
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$3.69
SATURDAY—Tomorrow we place on sale over 100 genuine leather Purses and Bags—strap purses, vanity cases in a great variety of styles and shapes in black and colored leather—all fitted with mirror and change purse, etc. All quality merchandise at $3.69
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$1.98 *Dainty*
Boudoir Caps
—Very attractive and dainty boudoir caps of satin, crepe de chine and net, neatly trimmed, assorted light colors at $1.49.
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$1.00 *Pearl*
Neck Laces
—24 inch long bead necklaces, graduated with 14 karat gold clasp and specially priced at 59c.—Main floor.
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$2.00 *Damask*
Table Cloths
—heavy grade mercerized table cloths in round and square, also rectangular shapes with hemstitched hems and scalloped edges, priced at $1.69.
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$1.25 *Embroidered*
Pillow Cases
—Neatly embroidered pillow cases in assorted designs with hemstitched hem, of fine quality muslin and priced at $1.00 pr.
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Women's $4 All
Wool Hose
—Women's all wool hose with drop stitch in heather with silk clockings and all sizes priced at $2.98.—Main floor.
$2.98

Women's $1.25 Good
Wool Hose
—Women's wool hose, in brown and black with wide hem, all sizes and very specially priced at 98c pair.—Main floor.
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Women's satin boudoir house slippers with padded soles, very pretty colors and black, in all sizes and priced at $1.97.

Men's Comfy
HOUSE SLIPPERS
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Men's leather or felt house slippers with leather or padded soles, the leathers in black and tan and felt in colors, all sizes at $1.97.

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GERMANY CANNOT PAY JAN. 15

Impossible to Meet Reparations Demand, Allies Told

BERLIN — (By Associated Press) —The German government, it was announced today, has informed the committee of guarantees that it is impossible for Germany to pay the sum due in reparations January 15, and that she consequently asks a moratorium.

The German reparations installments due on January 15 and February 15, respectively, amount to 500,000,000 gold marks each. At the close of recent meetings of the reparations commission in Berlin, it was semi-officially intimated that if Germany could find a way of paying these installments, Germany might be given a respite from future payments provided the allies were "convinced of Germany's sincerity."

Dr. Walter Rathenau returned from London without concrete proposals or promises for either a loan or moratorium for Germany.

This, in effect, was the admission yesterday by cabinet officers, who declined to discuss deliberations going on since Dr. Rthenau's return. A special credit commission of nine leading industrialists, financiers and economists appointed by Chancellor Wirth, conferred with Dr. Rathenau and the chancellor last night.

The German press continues to paint the situation as gloomy. It warns against the worst.

ALLIES NOTIFIED

PARIS — (By Associated Press) —The German government has informed the allied reparations commission that it will be "unable to meet fully" the reparation payments due January 15 and February 15, it was officially announced this afternoon.

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Chop Feed, 48 lb. bag	75c
Wheat Bran, 50 lbs.	80c
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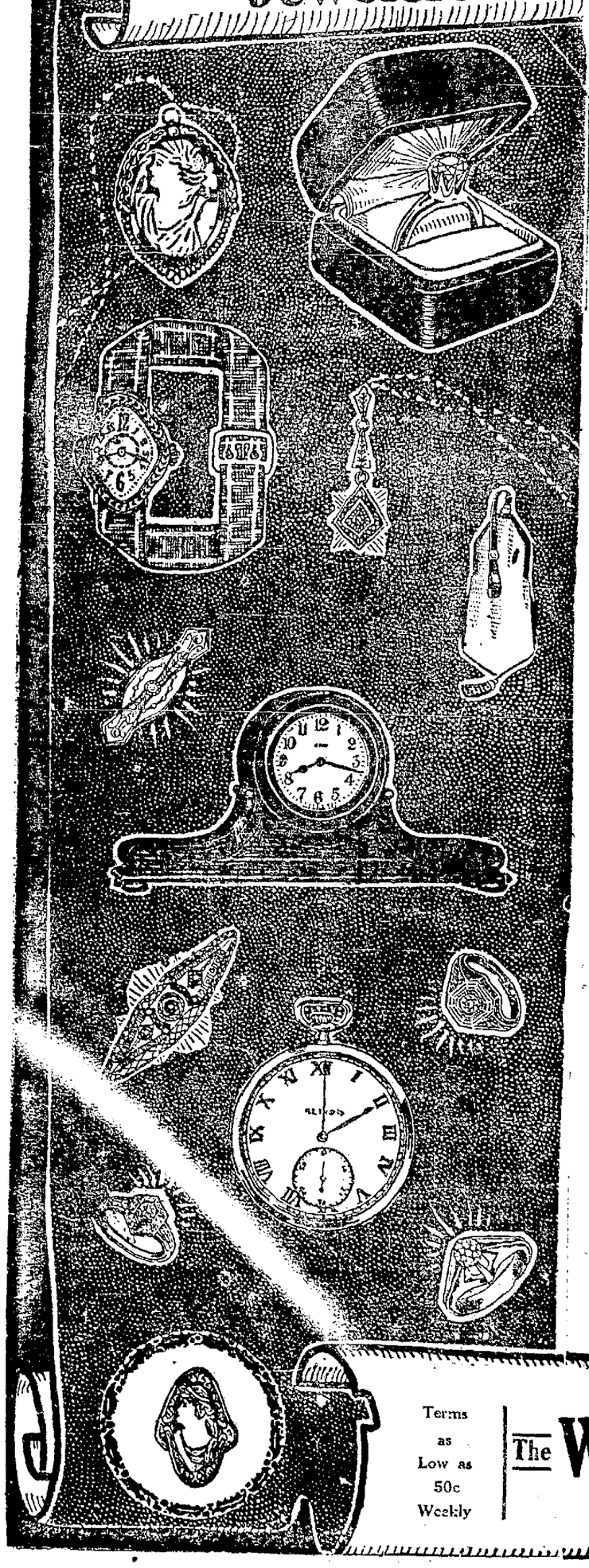

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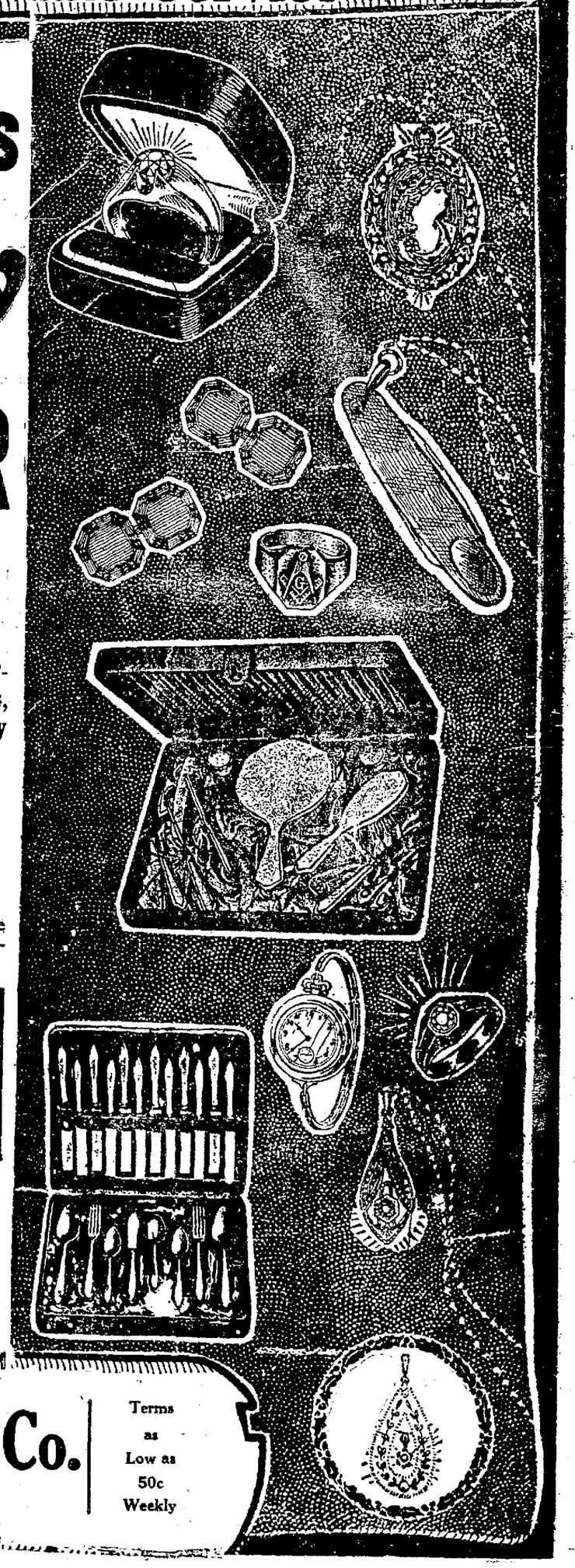

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Rioting in Palestine Investigated By Britain

SOURCE TRACED TO EGYPT

Revolt Propaganda Spread by Independence Committee

JERUSALEM, Palestine — (By Associated Press) — An official inquiry has been started into the riot of November 2, the fourth anniversary of the Balfour Declaration in which Palestine was promised as a National Homeland for the Jews, when six persons were killed and 36 wounded.

The trouble had been seething several weeks, when the Palestine Committee for Independence, with headquarters in Egypt, sent telegrams to all parts of Palestine advising all natives to close shops and cease work as a protest against England's policy in the Holy Land.

The government, therefore, having learned of the "holiday" telegrams, had taken elaborate precautions for the safety of the people. Troops with drawn bayonets had been stationed in the strategic sections of the city. Armed motor cars paraded the principal streets. Mohammedans and Christians kept their shops closed. Even the Jews who favor English occupation, fearing disorders, had decided to take a holiday.

FEELING TENSE

In accordance with prearranged plans, a large crowd of Mohammedans at 9 o'clock had gathered in the Mosque of Omar, their only place of worship in Jerusalem. Patriotic speeches were delivered by influential Moslems, thus creating a tense feeling against the Jews, who were pictured as "trying to usurp the country." What is believed to have added fuel to the anti-Jewish fires was the fact that the Mosque directly overlooks the Jewish synagogue.

No one could determine with any degree of accuracy just how the fighting started. Many rumors were circulated, diametrically differing according to their origin. One report was to the effect that a young Jew of Bolshevist type had gone to the Mosque and jeered the Mohammedan speakers. Another report placed the blame on a group of Moslem boys who are alleged to have invaded the Jewish quarter, beating men and women with sticks. But the real origin of the fighting, at the moment of writing, is still a mystery. However, it was established that disorders began at 10 o'clock in the morning in a little dingy street. By noon the fighting had spread to all sections of the walled city.

Meanwhile, martial law had been declared. The first act of the military was to disarm the members of the police force who were charged with collusion with the rioters. Soldiers were rushed to the affected areas with machine guns. By 2 p. m. the suitation wa swell in hand and order had been restored. The night was uneventful.

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MISSES' **SWEATERS** — Misses' wool yarn knit Sweater Coats, has shawl or sailor collar, 2 pockets and belt, many color, sizes 18 to 31 .. 2.98

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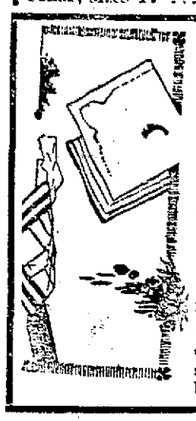

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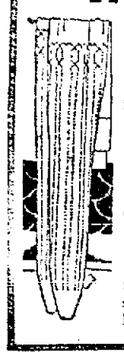

Women's WOOL HOSE — Fine quality medium weight wool mixture hose, colors brown and gray. 1.19

2 Pair Boxed LISLE HOSE — Fine mercerized lisle Hose, black and cordovan, put up 2 in fancy box. 69c

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66 x 80 **BLANKETS** — 66x80 Woolnap double blankets, various colors, all over plaid with contrasting border, silk bound edges 4.49

MEN'S **KID GLOVES** — Men's kid gloves, color brown and tan, fine finish, one clasp, also warmly lined Kid gloves, all sizes 1.69

CROCHET **BED SPREADS** — Large size chochet Bed Spreads, attractive woven patterns, small corners, neatly hemmed. 2.19

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY COAT IN OUR STORE

SALE — OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' HIGH GRADE **WINTER COATS**

NO RESTRICTION NO RESERVATION

Great Feature of the Day

Tomorrow our entire stock of high priced coats will be placed on sale at a great sacrifice price—Every garment brand new, most desirable Winter Coats, fashioned of this season's leading materials such as ALL WOOL VELOURS, BOLIVIA, NORMANDY and SILK SEAL PLUSHES. This offer opens the way for every woman to secure a high grade garment at a price everyone can afford to pay—Some have deep fur collar, others are handsomely embroidered—Big comfy coats, smart wrappy models, belted and loose back styles, all are finely lined—and come in sizes to fit both women and misses.

$19

CAN YOU THINK OF A MORE IDEAL AND USEFUL GIFT?

Come early for best selection.

WOMEN'S **UNION SUITS** — Standard brand Setsnug Union Suits, fine elastic ribbed, warmly fleeced, any desired length sleeve, size to 44 ..... 1.49

WOMEN'S SILK **BLOOMERS** — Women's fine Silk Crepe de Chine Bloomers, cut extra full, elastic waist and knee, flesh color, all sizes ... 1.98

MEN'S PARIS **GARTER SETS** — Combination Set, garters and armbands, durable elastic webbing garters, satin pads, in gift box 59c

WOMEN'S **WOOL MIDDIES** — Women's and misses' all wool serge middies, large sailor collar, trimmed with red or white braid 2.98

CHOICE OF THE HOUSE

TRIMMED WINTER HATS

The greatest Millinery offer of this season—wonderful values at a price no one else can equal. Hats that were made to sell for $5, $6 and $7.00. Hats fashioned of Lyons and Panne Velvets, beautifully trimmed models, large droopy, small, off the face, turbans, pokes, hats for matrons, hats for sport, dress and street wear, hundreds of them, newest colors, newest trimming effects.

Choice of the House Tomorrow

$2.69

Dolls!

25 INCHES HIGH — FULLY DRESSES 4.95 — Beautiful tinted faces, with moving eyes and long hair eyelashes, curled mohair wigs, completely outfitted.

Pretty Dressed Dolls 2.98 — Full 18 inch high, moving eyes, well jointed body, parted mohair wigs, complete

Unbreakable Baby Dolls 1.19 — Natural tinted bisque faces, hand painted eyes and features, bobbed wigs, with neat outfit.

Full Jointed KID DOLLS 2.98 — Full 20 inches high, beautiful tinted faces, parted wigs, moving eyes, kid body, stockings and shoes.

Jointed KID DOLLS 98c — "Our Pet" Kid Dolls, 12 inches high, with wigs and moving eyes, stuffed kid body, stockings and shoes.

WOMEN'S **BATH ROBES** — Women's Bath Robes, made of Beacon blanket cloth in beautiful flower or figured designs, finished with satin facing or piping, cord belt and pocket trimmed. THE GIFT FOR HER 3.98

YARD WIDE **SILK TAFFETA** — Or messaline, high lustre finish, excellent quality, in colors black, navy, copen, taupe and wine, yard 1.98

FULL SIZE **COMFORTABLES** — Double bed size comfortables, covered with durable chintz, scroll stitched, best white cotton filling 3.49

MEN'S **SUSPENDERS** — Men's Dress Suspenders of durable artificial silk elastic webbing, stitched leather ends, put up in fancy gift box 79c

54 INCH **VELOUR PLAIDS** — 54 inch all wool Velour Plaids, season's newest shades and patterns, for skirts, sport coats, etc. 1.98

81 x 90 **BED SHEETS** — 81x90 Seamless Bed Sheets, made of excellent grade sheeting, neatly hemmed, best for service 1.19

CHILDREN'S **FLAN. GOWNS** — Well made of durable quality pink or blue striped flannelette, high collar, neatly finished seams, all sizes. 79c

Gifts for Men

SILK STRIPE **Madras Shirts** — Fine quality shirting, woven silk and colored stripes, soft double cuffs. All sizes to 17. 1.98

Pure Silk Crepe De Chine SHIRTS 4.95 — New patterns, contrasting colored stripes, double cuffs. All sizes to 17.

DRESS SHIRTS — Fast color Percale or Madras, light and dark patterns. All sizes to 17. 98c

HOLIDAY SPECIAL!

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S **OVERCOATS**

Men, compare these values as other men have done, and as your wife would compare—it is wear and style that you want and in these coats you will get both—Heavy warm winter coats tailored of wool coating materials in brown, black, olive, and oxford, come with deep roomy patch pockets and half belts, complete range of sizes from 34 to 44.

19.75

Xmas Gifts

Men's Silk Ties

Fancy patterns — open end shapes good quality silk ties in Xmas box 49c

SILK FOUR-IN-HAND — Fine quality heavy Silk Ties, open end shape, packed in gift box 69c

SILK TIES — All Silk four in hand Ties, newest patterns, all colors, packed in fancy box .. 98c

XMAS SLIPPERS FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S **FELT SLIPPERS** $1 — Soft felt house Slippers, attractive design on vamp, buckskin and leather soles, many colors, all sizes.

MEN'S FELT SLIPPERS — Comortable felt house slippers, popular comfy and Romeo styles, felt soles, low heels, grey, brown and black, all sizes. $1.49

ALL SIZES

WOMEN'S FELT **SLIPPERS** — Comfy and Juliet felt house Slippers, ribbon trimmed, all colors and sizes, special. 1.49

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YELLOW, WHITES NEVER MIX

Japanese People Are Race Apart, Says Writer

BY HARRY HUNT

WASHINGTON. — Instinct and prejudice create a barrier to any ultimate blending of the white and yellow races which can never be overcome, according to Ales Hrdlicka, chief anthropologist of the Smithsonian Institution.

"There is no physiological or strictly anthopological barrier to a merging of these races, as has sometimes been suggested," said Hrdlicka "The barrier is rather psychophysical

"But so deeply is this intrenched that it creates a separation of the races almost as effectively as would a physiological inhibition.

"Strange to say, however, the instinct which prevents any general crossing of the white race with the yellow is less active between whites and Chinese than between whites and Japanese. This altho there is a somewhat greater strain of Mongolian stock in a Chinaman than in a Jap.

PEJUDICE CONTROLS

"Among the Japanese, prejudice seems to be the controlling factor against any mixing of races The average of Japanese marriages with white women are unhappy The Japanese, whether in marriage, or immigration, is never assimilated

"That is the source of Japan's troubles over elbow room in the Orient There is plenty of room for Japanese immigrants in Siberia, Korea, Mongolia, if they would emigrate and blend themselves with the peoples of the lands to which they go But they refuse to do this

"They keep distinct They colonize distinct Japanese communities and instead of becoming harmonious parts of the land to which they go insist on making over or taking over that land for their own domination

"In many characteristics, they are a *race distinct*"

RUMMAGE SALE BY FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SAT. DEC. 17 AT COURT HOUSE.

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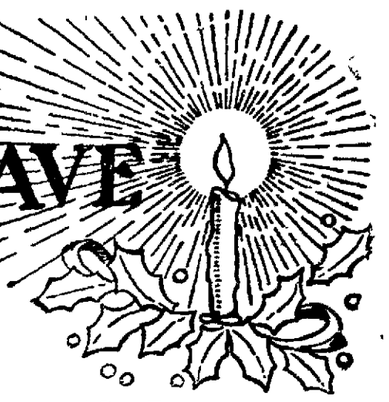

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A New Hat for Christmas

SPECIAL VALUES

Special — Twenty-five Hats, all shapes and all colors, values to $7.50 .. **$1.00**

One Table of Beaver and Velvet Hats, popular winter shades values to $10 **$2.95**

One table of Black Velvet Hats values to $15.00 special **$5.00**

All Children's Hats, values up to $10.00 special **$1.98**

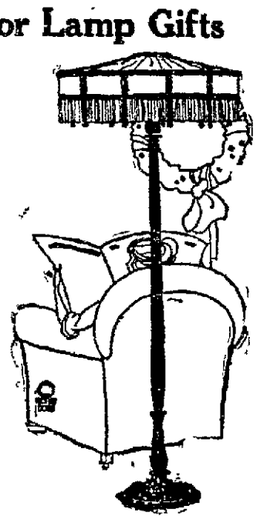
The Harvard Priscilla Dean Tam special **$2.00**

Scarf Sets, a splendid gift. **$6.00 - $10.00**

Second Floor

This is the Year of FURNITURE GIFTS

Wonderful Floor Lamp Gifts



Practical, beautiful, always welcome are Lamps as gifts.

These Lamps with fancy silk shades and hand rubbed mahogany bases, Christmas special at—

$17.95

Table Lamps

The new Silver and Gold finishes, all are two-light fixtures, special at—

$13.95

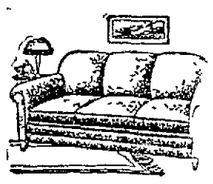
$35.00 CEDAR CHESTS— Saturday Special **$21.50**

A beautiful Chest with 48 inch long tops, $35.00 values for **$21.50**

48 inch long cretonne and matting covered boxes, special—

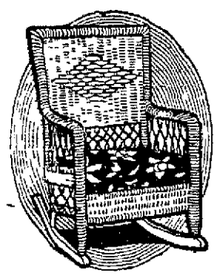
$10.75

Tapestry DAVENPORTS



Full length, loose cushion spring seats, eight tapestry designs, special

$91.00



Give Mother a FIBRE ROCKER

Frosted brown or ivory finished, fancy tapestry and cretonne backs and seats, special—

$13.50

YEARS OF PLEASURE FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

Give A Pathe This Christmas

Prices are Cut HALF and LESS

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These ridiculously low prices mean that you can own the famous Pathe Talking Machine at a price no more than the ordinary phonograph. Small down payment—one year to pay balance. Have a demonstration.

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Lima's Big Christmas Store

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CLEARANCE SALE

Saturday Will Be a Banner Day

SHOES-PUMPS-OXFORDS

AT STARTLING REDUCTIONS

VERY DRESSY—

A Wonderful Value

All Sizes— See These—

Ladies' Oxfords

NUT BROWN, FLAT RUBBER HEELS, IMITATION BALL-STRAP

$3.95

$1.00 a Shoe

ALL STRICTLY HIGH-GRADE

LOUIS AND MILITARY HEELS

WOMEN'S HIGH GRADE BOOTS

Wonderful Opportunity to Secure a Pair of Boots at This Price

While They Last

$1.00 A SHOE.

All Sizes in This Special Lot

LADIES' FELT HOUSE Slippers Comfy and Fur Trimmed	LADIES' Spats Extra Special	MEN'S FELT HOUSE Slippers Extra Special	MEN'S DRESS Shoes Black or Brown	MEN'S DRESS Shoes Brogue Effect
$1.29	99c	$1.00	$3.45	$4.45

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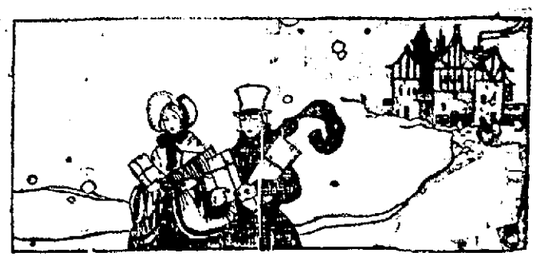


THE STORE BRIMFUL WITH CHRISTMAS CHEER--FRESH NEW GIFT STOCKS--EXTRA SALESPEOPLE TO SERVE YOU QUICKLY--SAVE TIME, WORRY--SHOP HERE SATURDAY

A BEFORE CHRISTMAS OFFERING

COATS -- DRESSES

WOMEN'S—MISSES'
COATS **$15.00**

Styles for the woman or high school miss, in long and short models, loose and belted styles, plain color and mixed fabrics, all silk lined, sizes 14 to 42.

DRESSES **$15.00**

Embroidered, beaded and button trimmed, in smart styles of Serges and tricotines, all sizes, a very low price.

Second Floor

Wearable Gifts are Practical Gifts
Second Floor

Give the Kiddie a Bathrobe

Dark and light patterns, sizes 6 to 14, a practical gift that will please them.

$3.75, $4.75

SILK JERSEY PETTICOATS

A new shipment, all jersey and jersey with silk flounces, all shades and combinations.

SPECIAL **$3.75**

CHILDREN'S RAIN CAPES—COATS
Tan, Blue and Red, sizes 6 to 14, special **$3.98**

Give a Blouse

Dimity Blouse, in Peter Pan Styles, rick-rack, Irish crochet and tatting trimmed—special.

$1.98

Kitchen Aprons

Made of rubberized cloth—a practical gift, that every woman should have.

Baby's Gift Shop—
2nd floor

GIVE BABY A SWEATER SACQUE

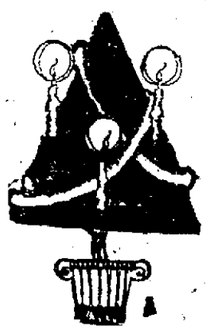
Pure zephyr yarn, link and link stitch, interwoven with contrasting shades of mercerized yarn,

$2.00-$2.98-$3.75-$3.98

TO PLEASE A LITTLE LADY

Corduroy Bloomer Dresses

Velvet corduroy in pink, American Beauty, blue and light green, 2 to 6 years, priced special **$5.75**



CHRISTMAS TREES
WREATHS
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GIFT IDEAS

Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, **$5.75 to $14.50**

Hair Bow Ribbons **39c.**

New Metal Belts, **89c, $1.25, $1.75**

Beaded Girdles, **$1.75.**

Children's Hand Bags, **50c, $1.00**

Leather Cigarette Cases, **$1.25, $1.50 $1.75, $2.00.**

Manicure Sets, **$1.50 to $10.50**

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, **$1.00 to $16.50**

Vantine's Incense Burners, **50c up.**

Christmas Cards, **5c to 25c.**

Silk Underwear
The Loveliest Gift of All

Van Raalte Silk Underwear

Vests, Bloomers, Union Suits and Envelope Chemises, plain white, **$2.95 to $6.00.**

Porto Rican and Philippine Hand-Made Underwear

Hand made Chemises and Gowns, gifts to delight any woman, **$2.98 to $5.98.**

Silk Camisoles

Lace trimmed, hand embroidered and dark colors in flowered effects.

89c to $3.50

Boudoir Caps

A beautiful selection in silk and lace, priced special—

$1.00, $1.25, $1.50 $1.98

GIFT IDEAS

Perrin's Imported Kid Gloves, **$4.98**

Ladies' Wool Gauntlet Gloves, **$1.98.**

Wisker Bread or Work Baskets, **75c to $1.25.**

Table Scarfs, on Indian Head, stamped, 18 x 54, **45c.**

Luncheon Sets, stamped on unbleached muslin, 36 x 36, center piece, and six napkins with enough floss to work complete, **85c.**

Plain and jeweled Barrettes, **15c to $1**

Spanish Combs, jeweled designs, **$1 to $4.50.**
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EXTRA! A Great Day in TOYTOWN Tomorrow

Toys will disappear fast tomorrow into old Santa's pack to be delivered to some kiddie christmas day. Better hurry to avoid disappointment.

GAMES — FUN ALL the YEAR!

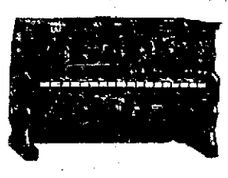
Genuine Parker Bros. games, Parcheesi, Polly Pickles, Whirl-It, Little Red, Bushy Tail; Snap, Old Maid, Tiddledy Winks, Panama Canal, Toy City, Curly Locks, Ping Pong, Embroidery Sets, Crazy Traveler, Rummy, Pit, Flinch, Dissected Maps, Puzzle Pictures, Soldier Sets, etc.

Horse and Cart

Two sizes, special at—
29c, 69c

Cedar Chests for Dollie's Clothes

Metal bound, trimmed with moulding, special at **$4.50.**



Toy Pianos

Priced low considering quality, 8 key style, **89c,** 12 key, **$1.49,** 14 key, low shape, **89c.**

BLOCKS
All kinds, **10c to $1.19.**

Plasticine Modeling Clay
25c to $2.25, extra clay, **29c** pkg.

SNOW KING
Steering Sleds, special bargain, **$1.69, $1.89,**

DOLL FURNITURE
Dressers, Kitchen Cabinets, etc., low prices.

TEA SETS — PRICED LOW

13 piece China Set, blue decoration, a good value at $2.25.
Awagi Ware Tea Sets, two styles in blue or yellow, each $1.98.

A NATION OF DOLLS
All kinds, see them.

12 Pc. Aluminum COOKING SET
12 piece set **$2.39.** Others from **59c.**

Odds and Ends HALF PRICE
Shop worn Toys, many kinds, priced special.

Special Demonstration
Magic Picture book and Base Ball Game, special prices during this demonstration. Magic Picture Book, **98c.** Base Ball Game, **$1.89.**

WORTHY GIFTS ARE

PHOENIX HOSIERY

Pure Silk Hose, full fashioned, brown and black, $1.95.

Pure Silk Hose, fancy drop stitch clox, black only, $2.85.

Fibre Silk Hose, white clox, brown and black, special $1.00.

Phoenix Silk Hose, $1.10, $1.45 to $5.00.

Silk and Wool Hose, $1.65-$1.95-$2.45.

Wool Hose, 89c-$1.00-$1.45.

Van Raalte Thread Silk Hose, $3.50.

Van Raalte pure silk lace Hose, $3.50-$4.50.

SAVE ON GIFT SLIPPERS

BIG SELECTION—LOW PRICED AT THE BIG STORE

Men's brown and black kid Everett light-weight hand turned soles, **$1.98.**

Women's Felt Romeos, fur trimmed or ribbon trimmed, all wanted colors, **$1.95.**

Women's felt Comfy Slippers, heavy padded, noiseless soles, ribbon trimmed and fancy trimmed, **$1.35 to $1.95.**

Children's felt Booties, with cuffs **$1.15 to $1.50.**

Women's brown all wool Jersey Goloshes, special, **$4.45.**

Special—Women's Slippers

Women's Felt Comfy and Felt Romeos, odds and ends, sizes 3½ to 7. Specially priced **$1.00**

Gifts from a *man's* store for a man

Main Floor—Direct Entrance—Main St.

Men's Union Suits, heavy fleece lined. Special Saturday $1.19.

Men's Mufflers, pure silk knit, handsome patterns, $2.00, $3.00, $4.00.

Men's Kid Gloves, Suedes, Kids, Bucks, Macha's, $2.00, $3.00, $4.00.

Men's all Silk Neckwear, holiday boxes, 59c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.

Men's Sweaters, combed yarn worsted finish, never lose colors or shape, $8.00, $10.00.

Boy's pull over Sweaters, black and maroon, combination collars and cuffs, $2.50.

Men's Kerchiefs, fancy borders and initials, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

Men's Phoenix Pure Silk Hose, all colors, special 85c.

Men's all wool and Silk mixed hose 75c.

Men's Silk Fibre Hose, reinforced heel and toe, black and brown, 59c.

Men's Beacon Blanket Bath Robes, $6.95, $7.50.

Men's Caps, Fine selection, $1.00, $1.50.

Men's Auto Gloves, large gauntlet, lined, genuine horsehide, $3.00.

Silk Jedsey and Crepe De Chine Shirts, Special $7.35.

Men's all leather belts, sterling silver, buckles, $1.50.

Men's Dress Shirts, silk stripes, fast colors—$3.50.

Ladies' and Men's all leather Traveling Bags, all leather lined $10.00, $12.00, $15.00.

Kuppenheimer Suits — O'Coats

High grade clothes, Suits and Overcoats, $48.00, $50.00 values, a big special for Saturday **$40.85**

SATURDAY ANOTHER BIG SALE OF

RINGS

19c

Another Sale like last Saturday's. Women's Misses' and Children's and Babies' Rings —Bond, Signet and Jeweled Styles. Some jewels are genuine, some rings are solid gold. Come early for best choice. War Tax 1c.

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Main Floor

FILL THE CHRISTMAS BASKET AT THE BIG STORE'S

PURE FOOD GROCERY SPECIALS

English Walnuts, No. 1 Californias, 2 pound **75c**

Mixed Nuts, all new **25c** lb.

Hershey, Lipton, Zatec Cocoa, half pound can .. **23c**

Dot Sweet Chocolate, half pound can at .. **25c**

SUGAR — 5 Pounds, 23c — With $1 Order

SELF-SERVE

GROCERY SPECIALS

PINE APPLE, large can	25c
INSTANT POSTUM, large can	44c
APRICOTS, large can	25c
PEACHES, large can	25c
COFFEE, 88 brand	20c LB.
SILVER NUT OLEO	25c LB.
HARD WATER CASTILE SOAP, 2 bars	15c
SUGAR—with grocery purchase, 2 pounds..	10c

BASEMENT

SELF SERVE

GIFT SHOP

Overshoes, misses', women's, boys', special	49c
Children's Bungalow Aprons, sizes 6 to 16 years, plain and figured	59c
Women's Breakfast Suits, good quality suitings, light and dark patterns, Saturday	89c
Women's Union Suits, fleeced, sizes 34 to 44, special	89c
Misses' and Boys' Union Suits, all sizes, special	69c, 75c
64x76 Gordon Blankets, good quality	$1.79
36 inch Unbleached Muslin	14c Yd.
36 and 40 inch Skirting plaids and stripes	79c, 89c Yd.

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CELEBRATE 56TH ANNIVERSARY

Notable Speakers Feature Program of Lima Lodge K. P.

Honored by the presence of distinguished visitors; entertained with a banquet, music and addresses, Lima lodge No. 91, Knights of Pythias, Thursday night celebrated its 56th anniversary in Castle Hall, S. Main-st. More than 300 Knights were present.

Featuring the program was the presentation of Veterans' Jewels to six members of the lodge who have been Knights for 40 years or longer. William Beatty, Toledo, Great Keeper of R. & S., and Judge C. C. Williams, Columbus, were distinguished speakers from out of the city. Judge F. C. Becker did the platform honors for Lima.

Harp solos by Mrs. Katherine Gramm Shrider and whistling solos by Mrs. John M. Morgan and Mrs. Charles Z. Kraft were given.

Speaking on "Do Noble Things," Beatty declared Ohio Knights of Pythias are caring for more than 1,200 orphan children; have cared for and protected into manhood and womanhood an equal number and that Lima Lodge is now foster parent for some 250 helpless little folks.

"Membership of the Knights of Pythias knows no men of any particular station of life. The highest professional man, the lowest worker are eligible. All we ask is that our membership be composed of men true and loyal. We are proud of the Knights of Pythias. We are proud of this Lima lodge," Beatty declared.

"Friends are the greatest boon that can come to human beings," said Judge Becker. "You might as well go hence from this world if you have no friends. Members of this order stand for humanity, stand for all that is right; they are friends among friends." Judge Becker's subject was "These Friends Have Meant You well."

Judge Williams in the course of his remarks said: "Lima lodge, Knights of Pythias, is known as well if not better than any other Pythian body in this grand domain. For years the name of Lima has been foremost thru the Pythian affiliation of Walter Ritchie. I have for years heard of the spirit of No. 91, K. of P. but this is the first opportunity I have had to come before its members.

"This is peculiarly an American order. It represents American ideals, American progress. So far the Pythian rituals are printed only in the English speaking language, on American soil, but Pythianism can flourish anywhere. Our standard is "Service." Not to take, but to give; not to ask, but to do, and that we have accomplished in the order in this grand domain," he said.

Veterans' Jewels were presented to Jacob Butler, who joined the order March 20, 1879; Joseph Potter, December 1, 1881; Robert H. Gamble, February 23, 1882; Ezel Hover, May 25, 1882; John Toot April 20, 1882, and Amos Young, January 24, 1884.

Presentation was made by L. H. Rogers, chancellor commander.

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ARMORY BURNED

WOOSTER, Ohio — Seventy-five rifles and other equipment of company K., Ohio national guard, were destroyed this morning when fire caused a loss of $5,000 to the Wooster Armory.

CEMETERY WREATHS — MADE BY OUR OWN EXPERT DESIGNERS—MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS NOW. WE WILL PLACE ON CEMETERY LOTS DEC. 24TH.
ZETLITZ—FLOWERS

See Our Xmas Apples—Dorsey's.

Safe Milk for INFANTS and INVALIDS
ASK FOR Horlick's the Original
Avoid Imitations and Substitutes
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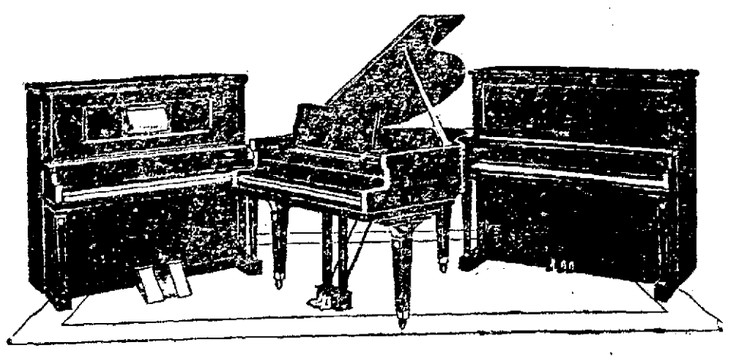

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In all leather, tan or black, felt in grey, navy blue and black, with heavy, noiseless felt soles in all sizes from 6 to 11. Besides a big broken lot of high grade slippers which we are closing out while they last, at only 98 cents a pair.

At— $1.98
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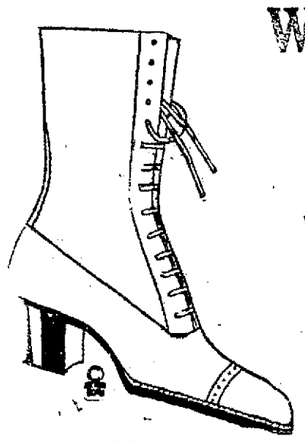
Give your boy a pair of comfortable, cozy, warm slippers. He will enjoy his games and study all the more. A splendid showing of boys' slippers in felt or leather, at a price range from 98c up to $1.98.

Women's Tan or Brown Calf and Black Kid Boots



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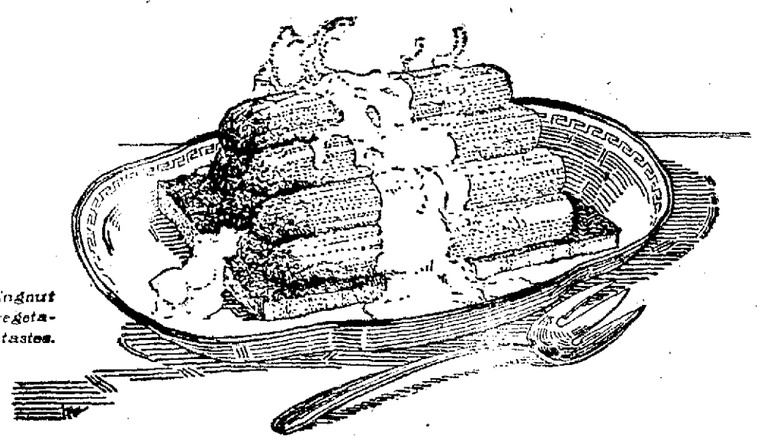

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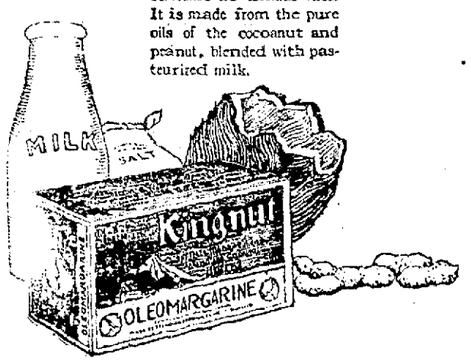

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Beautiful rich silk Four-in-hand Ties in the new medium shape open-end style—a wonderful collection of new patterns.

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Genteel patterns in glowing color blends of every popular shade—Small patterns—dots—embroidered designs—Plain colors—a wealth of beauty.

Group III—
500 SILK TIES AT $1.49
All the better grade heavy rich silks are shown in this group—along with neat new designs in imported silk Grenadine Four-in-hands—Carefully chosen patterns.

Group IV—
800 KNITTED TIES AT 85c
Pure silk Knitted Four-in-hand ties—in the narrow straight style or the new graduated shape—in narrow cross stripes—Plain colors—embroidered designs, etc.

Group V—
500 KNITTED TIES AT 59c
Here's a wonderful value in Knitted Neckwear—weeks and weeks of continual searching alone is responsible for this wonderful value group—Most stores offer ties like these at $1.00.

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Stocks were never better than they are right now and prices are lower than you would expect them to be. You'll appreciate these values as soon as you know them. Our manufacturing department has joined us in an effort to get as much excellence as possible into these clothes. In design, in hand-needlework, in coloring, pattern or weave, nothing has been omitted that will give you extreme value for your money.

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$ 8.50 Boys' Suits and O'Coats	$ 7.22
$10.00 Boys' Suits and O'Coats	$ 8.50
$12.00 Boys' Suits and O'Coats	$10.20
$15.00 Boys' Suits and O'Coats	$12.75
$16.50 Boys' Suits and O'Coats	$14.02
$ 7.50 Boys' Mackinaws	$ 6.37
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Saturday We Will Offer

25 PER CENT DISCOUNT

On All Men's and Boys'

SWEATERS

Every Sweater in the house is included in this special price reduction—Slipovers—Sweater Coats—Jersey Sweaters—"Travelos" Cardigan Jackets—Sweaters for Boys—Children—Young Men and Men.

$2.50 Boys' Jersey Sweaters	$1.87
$5.75 Boys' All Wool Slip-Over Sweaters	$4.31
$5.00 Children's Sweaters	$3.75
$6.50 Children's Sweaters	$4.87
$8.50 Boys' Slip-over and Coat Sweaters	$6.37
$6.50 Men's Slip-over Sweaters	$4.87
$10.50 Men's Slip-over Sweaters	$7.87
$12.00 Men's Sweater Coats	$9.00

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New patterns in fine quality Percale—Madras—French, English and Russian Corded materials—Fibre Silks—Silk Broadcloths—Trutone silks—Crepe de Chines—Silk Jerseys, etc.,—Never so many shirts to choose from—

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$3.50 SHIRTS — Now	$2.80
$4.00 SHIRTS — Now	$3.20
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$7.50 SHIRTS — Now	$6.00
$8.50 SHIRTS — Now	$6.80
$9.75 SHIRTS — Now	$7.80

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At 15 Per Cent Discount

$1.00 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	$ .85
$1.25 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	$1.06
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$1.75 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits	$1.49
$1.75 Men's "High Rock" Fleeced Union Suits	$1.49
$1.75 Men's Part Wool Union Suits	$1.49
$3.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits	$2.25
$2.25 "Lambsdown" Fleeced Union Suits	$1.91
$4.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits	$3.40
$6.50 Men's Woolen Union Suits	$5.52
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Glover's "Brighton-Carlsbad" Night Shirts, Pajamas and Pajunions—in White or fancy Flannelette, Daisy Cloth, Pongee Mercerized and silk fabrics—a wonderful collection.

$1.27 to $5.10

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A beautiful Muffler is always appreciated at Xmas time—Just think of it—there isn't a day all Winter that a Man doesn't wear one. And here's the finest selection to choose from.

$1.27 to $6.37

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At 15 Per Cent Discount

Here are all the best quality Woolens, Camel's hair, Silk, Cotton and Lisle Hosiery for men—all the standard makes—in Black and plain colors—heather shades and two-tone effects—Plain and embroidered clocks.

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Fine Cape Gloves—Suedes—Mochas—Chamois—Silk—Buckskin—Kidskin — in Browns—Greys—Blacks—Tans — Beaver—Natural and White—Spear and embroidered backs—plain or lined with silk—wool-knit and fleece.

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NEW ERA OPENING FOR REALTORS

Will in Time Manage Investment Business, Speaker Predicts

ANNUAL BANQUET IS HELD

Members of Local Board Hear Toledo and Lima Speakers

That real estate men will eventually manage the investment business of the nation, was the prediction made by George H. Ricaby, Toledo, speaking before the annual banquet of the Lima Real Estate board, at the Norval Hotel Thursday night.

Some of the 40 to 50 realtors from this city and a number of visitors from Toledo and Mansfield were present.

Ricaby described the present day situation in Toledo as neither normal nor yet acute.

"There need be no fear" he said, "that the market will not come back."

INVESTMENT CENTER MOVES

The center of investment, Ricaby told his auditors, which was at one time popularly located in Wall-st, has moved west with the center of population. It is located in whatever city the dealer happens to be, if that city is producing money.

He described the investor of today as not the big capitalist who has a large amount with which to plunge, but rather the little investor who puts his money in the savings bank and allows it to be loaned out.

At the present time, Ricaby told the realtors, if business is not coming their way they are largely to blame.

"There never was a time," he declared "when investors were so willing to listen. Realty is the one fundamental investment when values have not shrunk.

The investor, the speaker declared, will plant his money at home in property he can see, if the realtor offers him the right opportunity.

BIG MONEY IN REALTY

Ricaby said the big money of the nation in the next 25 years is to be made in real estate. First, because it is a sound investment; second, because people must have it and lastly because in the long run it offers the surest returns.

The real estate business, he said, is on the threshold of a new era as a profession. In the past, too many dealers have not really understood what they were trying to do.

Ricaby made a short talk on the multiple listing system in operation at Toledo and told of the accomplishments of the Toledo board.

Other speakers during the evening were A. J. Machen, and K. C. Rowland, both of Toledo and Theodore Harris, cashier of the American Bank, who predicted easier money in the next few months. S. S. Fisher presided as toastmaster.

Buy a FORD for His Xmas.

Mistletoe at Dorsey's.

ROASTS, RAZZES, EPITAPHS ON THE GRIDIRON MENU

COLUMBUS — Roasts, razzes and epitaphs were on the menu of the first annual Gridiron banquet given here last night by Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity of Ohio State University.

Two hundred prominent business men and faculty luminaries were the audience. They heard themselves ridiculed by their youthful hosts. Each guest was furnished with an epitaphs which he read.

Alonzo H. Tuttle, faculty member, was solemnly admitted to life member of the Royal Order of Oil Cans.

The only serious feature of the evening was the honoring of Dean George W. Knight, of the College of Education as the oldest faculty member in point of service at Ohio State.

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CENTRAL HI STUDENTS STAGE PROGRAM TONIGHT

A large number of students at Central high school have been preparing for a demonstration to be given Friday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium to depict the work acomplished along gymnastic and other lines. Miss Irene Buckley and Fred Wallace, gymnasium instructor, are in charge.

The following number will be given: Memetic drill, girls; tumbling, boys; "The Teddy Bear and the French Doll," girls; sailor's hornpipe, girls; mat work, boys; highland fling, girls; dutch kiddies, girls; Irish Lilt, girls; diving high jump, boys; Greek ball drill, girls; Spanish drill, girls; march Militaire, girls; pyramid building, boys and Russian drill, girls.

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Gift Stationery -- Special
Gift stationery attractively boxed with 24 cards, 24 sheets, and 48 envelopes in two styles—one size paper with one size cards and one size paper with two sizes of cards. Colors are white, pink, blue, buff, white and pink, white and blue. Other styles on sale as well. Regularly priced at $2.00—For Saturday.
For Saturday Only $1.45

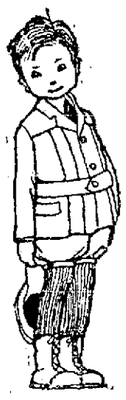
FELDMAN'S
221 N. MAIN ST. ESTABLISHED 1887

Greeting Cards—Just Arrived
More Xmas Cards are here. 10 to a box, each card with different verse and hand colored decoration, per box 50c

Practical Gifts for the Kiddies

Children's Headwear
Now Less Than Half Price
Makes a Dandy Gift
This includes many smart styles in plushes, felts, duvetyne, hatters plush, paon velvets and beavers, in colors t omatch all the new coats.
25c, 50c, 95c, $1.95, $2.95

A Gift for "Son"
Might Be a Nice New Suit
Good quality corduroy suits in two-piece, Norfolk style are to be had in brown or navy for boys 3 to 7 years. They are just the thing for play or school wear. $4.75
Navy blue serge suits are here in the two-piece, Norfolk style, the youngsters like so well. Some are plain, others have sailor collar and are emblem trimmed. $3.98 And Up



Give Sweater Sets For Xmas
Wool knit sets, consisting of sweater, cap, pant leggins and mittens are here for youngsters 2 to 6 years. Colors are red, peacock blue, brown and white.
$6.75
Sets consisting of the same apparel are here in angora for kiddies 2 to 6 years. Colors are red, tan, brown and turquoise blue.
$9.75

Children's Fur Sets
A beautiful selection of particularly good-looking Fur Sets is shown in various sizes—Coney in white and colors, Fox, Ermine, Thibet, Moline, Opossum, Mouflown, and Rabbit are the skins. A most appropriate Xmas gift.
$2.75 and Up to $29.75

Pretty Dolls for Xmas
Boy dolls and girl dolls are here, cleverly dressed. Some have real hair, some can walk, and one particular baby doll at $3.98 says "Mamma." There are big ones and little ones—just the kind to make the kiddies happy.
$1, $1.50, $1.98, $2.98 and Up

Girl's Flannel Middies
Splendid quality flannel middies in regulation style, navy or red, braid and emblem trimmed. They are well made garments for girls 8 to 18 years. This is a practical gift.
$5, $5.75, $7.98

A Gift for Woman or Child

Christmas Gloves
Give a merchandise order and let "her" select the gloves that suits her taste.

Child's Mittens
Warm kid mittens for youngsters of 4 to 10 years. They are fleece lined and have fur tops. Color is dark brown. A good value.
$1.00

Skating Gloves
Misses' long English knit gloves — appropriate for street wear or for skating. Colors are camel's hair, plain and white stripe; and brown heather, plain.
$1.65, $2

Child's Gloves
Fleece lined capeskin gloves in one clasp style, dark brown; for children 3 to 12 years. A good warm glove for dress or school.
$1.19

Woman's Gift Hose
Special for Saturday Only
$1.95
Women's Onyx silk hose of good heavy quality with extra elastic lisle top and reinforced heel and toe—full fashioned. Colors are black, cordovan, African brown, navy, Harding blue, and white. Regular price $2.25—For Saturday, $1.95.

New Styles Just Arrived
Decorated Boxes
15c to 75c
Metal boxes decorated in beautiful designs, make clever gifts. Either empty for work boxes, etc., or filled with nuts, candy, fruit, or cake. There are various shapes and sizes.

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Women's Winter Coats
--Luxuriously Fur Trimmed
We are especially proud of the Coats in this group. They show the very newest lines and the smartest materials. Practically every Coat is handsomely fur-trimmed and there is most unusual style variety $49.50
Coats in panvelaine and Gerona cloth, weighted with fur—taupe wolf, beaver, Australian opossum, mole and squirrel. Blouse models and coat wraps in elegant styles combine to make a wonderful group at $75.00
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"Entangling Alliances" Refused by the British.

LOVELESS MATCHES GONE

Inside Story of Prince and Princess Romances.

By MILTON BRONNER

LONDON. — Loveless marriages, hatched by groups of wizened diplomats behind the barred doors of council chambers, are gone forever so far as British royalty is concerned.

That's the only conclusion to be drawn from the inside story of two royal romances which have set England agog.

The latest to become public is that of the Prince of Wales and Lady Rachel Cavendish, daughter of the Duke of Devonshire. Their engagement will be announced as soon as the prince gets back from India, it is unofficially reported.

The other is that of Princess Mary, only daughter of King George and Queen Mary, and Viscount Lascelles. Their engagement already has been officially announced.

ROMANCES ALIKE

Both romances have these points in common:

They're love matches.

In both cases, the mate picked by a member of the royal family is a Briton—and wealthy.

Both Lady Rachel and Lascelles are of rank far beneath that which a scion of the royal family formerly has expected to marry.

What does that mean?

Just this—that the British reigning family doesn't dare marry its children to the offspring of decadent royal families abroad who may, by chance, sometime be enemies of Britain.

A diplomatic marriage of the old type made a British princess the mother of the kaiser! It made the detested German leader a first cousin of King George!

BRITISH ON GUARD

The British people knew that and they don't want it to happen again. And the royal family follows the wishes of the British people—that's why it stays on the throne.

There's a distinct advantage, too, in royal alliances with families of wealth.

Lady Rachel's father is one of the richest landowners in England. Viscount Lascelles, likewise of a landowing family, has inherited of fortune of $12,000,000.

What brought the prince and princess and their fiances together?

In Wales' case intimacy between the Duke of Devonshire and the royal family. The duke once was treasurer of the royal household. The duchess was mistress of robes.

So naturally Wales saw a great deal of Lady Rachel.

Princess Mary admired Lascelles' war record. She met him when he was on leave from the front, because of wounds. The whole affair grew from that.

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Boys' blouse waists, percale, to 14 ..... **$1.00**

Girls' white middies, to 12 years **$1.00**

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$6.90 colored bed sets **$5.90**

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$8.00 white satin marseilles bed sets **$6.75**

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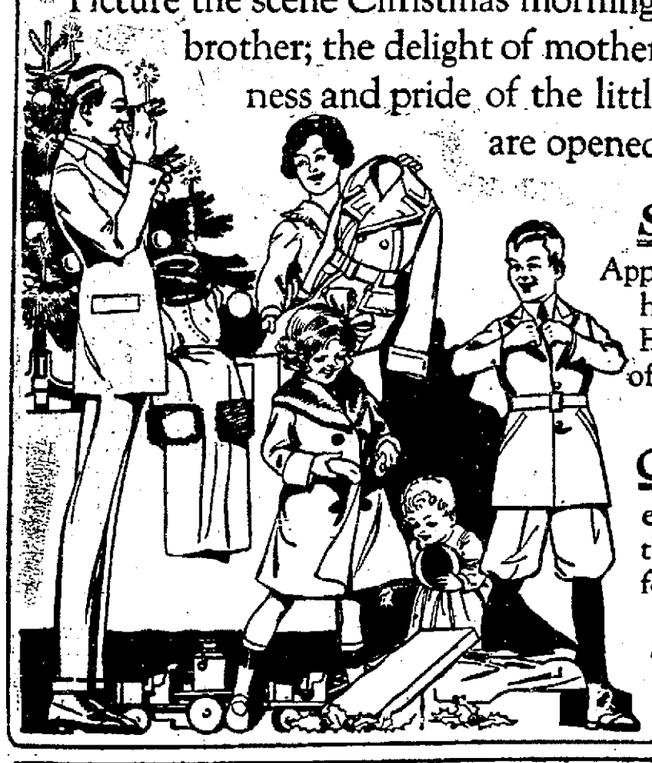

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Army Engineer Chief Reports on Muscle Shoals Project

$15,278,828 ALREADY SPENT

About One-Third Completed, General Beach Says

WASHINGTON—(By Associated Press)—Seven and one half millions of dollars can be profitably expended in new work on the Muscle Shoals, Alabama nitrate and water power project during the fiscal year 1923, Major General Beach, chief of army engineers says in his report today to the secretary of war. Work on the project was shut down last April as a result of the refusal of congress to appropriate further funds for it and the government now is negotiating for the sale and lease of the plant to Henry Ford.

A financial summary prepared by General Beach shows that to date a net total of $15,278,828 has been expended on the project, which, the general says, is about one third completed, the percentages of completion for the various units being, Wilson Dam 45 per cent, power house 11 per cent, and locks 10 per cent.

SUM EXPENDED

The sum expended in the fiscal year ended last June 30, was $7,840,781, the principal items listed by General Beach being

Dam construction, $2,108,800, power house construction, $1,017,000; Main-line railroads, construction, maintenance and operation, $495,500; general plant, purchase, construction, operation and maintenance, $1,391,200; camp construction maintenance and operation $725,500, general expenses including flood losses, labor recruiting, and office expenses, $721,700, and lock construction $143,800.

On last July 1, the balance available out of funds appropriated was $398,921 and General Beach says this wil be expended by next August as the expenses of guarding and maintaining the property average $30,000 a month.

WORK TO BE DONE

"Should additional funds be provided," General Beach says, "the work to be done would be construction of Coffer dam No. 2, and work therein, continuation of excavation for lock; continuation of concrete work in dam and continuation of execavation and concrete construction for power house. The amounts expenced for each would depend upon the date and amount of the appropriation. The rate of expenditure should be approximately $625,000 per month."

Discussing the present state of the work, General Beach says:

"All preparatory work in the nature of camps, roads, railroad, plants, shops, etc., is completed with excavation for the lock is 90 per cent completed and lock excavation 18 per cent. About 66 per cent of the excavation and foundations for the dam are completed and about 35 per cent of the concrete placed. About 48 per cent of the excavation for the power house section is completed and approximately 4.6 per cent of the concrete placed.

"Following suspension of construction, property has been collected and stored, rented floating property returned and construction equipment placed in condition for indefinite storage or lay-up. The navigation of the river is completely blocked by the work in its present condition.

Describing the project in some detail, General Beach says:

"The existing project provides for the construction of two locks, a dam, and a powerhouse, 2.7 miles above the railroad bridge at Florence, Ala., securing a least depth of 9.1 2 feet over the low water for a distance of 14.7 miles, and for the generation of electric power for the production of nitrates or other products needed for munitions of war, and useful in the manufacture of fertilizers and other useful products. The length of the entire section is 26.9 miles, its lower end being 2,655 miles above the mouth of the Tennessee river."

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$1.00 Tanlac	87c
25c Eagle Brand Milk	20c
50c Djer Kiss Face Powder	45c
$1.25 Pinkham Vegetble Compound	$1.00
$1.50 Carey's Marshroot	$1.15
$1.10 Miles Nervine	87c
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin	46c-92c
25c Mum	19c
25c Good Hair Soap	19c
35c Pond's Vanishing Cream	27c
$1.00 Leonard's Ear Oil	89c
$1.00 Pepgen	87c
Sal Hepatica	27c-54c-$1.07
$1.00 Nuxated Iron	87c
Sayman's Soap, 3 for	32c
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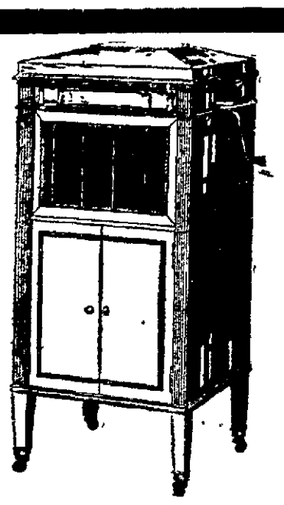

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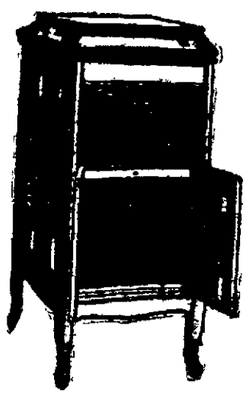

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HARDING WILL NOT CALL PARLEY

President Not in Favor of Economic Conference

WAITS SETTLEMENT ABROAD

Reparations Dispute Must be Ended First

WASHINGTON — (Special) — President Harding will not call an economic conference to meet in this city at the close of the present con ciy at the close of the present conference. If, as seems likely now, an economic conference is called to meet in Brussels or some other European capital early in the year the United States will not be represented unless there is a very radical change of mind. These two circumstances constituted a very severe disappointment to not a few of the representatives of the foreign countries in this city, many of whom have recently expressed the hope that the United States would at least share in a European economic discussion, which has been made inevitable by the recent German default.

BASIS OF DECISION

The American decision would seem to be based upon two factors, one foreign and the other domestic. It is the prevailing point of view, as I pointed out in my last Sunday article, that no useful end can be served by any economic conference as long as the reparations issue remains unsettled, and there is no American desire to undertake the responsibility and the obvious dangers incident to bringing about such a settlement.

From the American official point of view, the key of the whole situation in Europe at the present time, economic and political alike altho the United States is only interested in the economic aspect, must be sought in the reparations issue. The idea that the watch of the world can be set to ticking again while Great Britain and France are at loggerheads over reparations is held to be manifestly absurd. The United States has very great interests at stake, those interests represented by ehr foreigntrade which continues to decline with obvious evil consequences in all directions. But the contemporary question is: What useful purpose ca nthe United States serve by participating in any conference as long as the fundamental conditions remain both nusound and unstaple.

PROGRESS HELD UP

There is a very widespread belief here that no real progress will be made toward economic reconstruction in Europe or the world until England, France and Germany can reach agreement on the whole subject of reparations. Therei is no disguising the fact that American expert opinion is on the whole for more sympathetic to the British than to the French point of view. At the Paris Conference and since the Paris Conference American expert opinion, official and unofficial, has continued to believe that there was not the slightest prospect of collecting from Germany anything like the sums which were expected at Paris and actually named in the decisions of last May. But the United States is not one of the parties to reparations and has no intention of undertaking to participate in a discussion which would obviously lead to a request for American assistance, financial and otherwise.

EVIDENCE SPILLED ON GROUND, COURT RESORTS TO TRIAL BY FLAMES

COLUMBUS — A medieval form of determining guilt or innocence, trial by fire, was resorted to here yetserday in the case of James Susa, charged with illegal transportation of intoxicating liquor before Justice Glenn, of Franklin-tp.

Apprehended carrying a glass jug, Susa threw the jug to the ground breaking it and spilling its contents. The arresting officer quickly mopped up some of the liquid with his handkerchief, which he squeezed into a small bucket.

In the justice's court, Susa's attorneys declared the liquid was not booze. The liquid was slightly muddy and no one cared to taste it. Then the trial by fire was suggested.

Some of the liquid was poured on a table and a match applied. It burned. "Guilty," said the court. Susa was fined $400 and costs.

"STRAPHANGERS" SHIFT BURDEN IN CAR TRAFFIC

Each street car on the city lines is equipped with an average of a round dozen straps, intended as bracers for overflow passengers forced to stand. These straps, the ones in use in Lima, altho not as overworked as some in large cities, get their full share of the daily traffic burden.

"Straphangers," popularly applied to "overflowers," are a curious lot. they'll hang on, and on, and on until somebody generously offers them a seat.

Street car officials find it necessary from time to time, to replace old straps with new ones. An average burden of weight of 65 pounds is forced upon each strap when a "hangeron" makes use of it to support himself or herself when a car is in motion, it is said.

AUTOMOTIVE CONVENTION WILL CLOSE TONIGHT

COLUMBUS — Following election of officers and a series of group meetings for members of various branches of the automobile industry, the fifth annual convention of the Ohio Automotive Trade Association will be concluded here tonight with an entertainment to be given by local members.

Congressman Nicholas Longworth of Cincinnati, who was scheduled to address this morning's session, will be unable to attend, officers of the organization announced.

J. G. SAYRE DEAD

COLUMBUS — Joel G. Sayre, 71, widely known in the window glass manufacturing industry, died at his home here last night following an illness of 10 days. He was the father-in-law of W. A. Ireland, Columbus Evening Dispatch cartoonist.

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GERMANS TO PUT "PEP" IN FILMS

Enter Race to Capture Trade Held by Americans

TURNING TO HUMOROUS SIDE

Formerly Dealt With Historic and Romantic Subjects

BERLIN—(By Associated Press)—German motion picture film manufacturers have perfected a co-operative organization one of the prime purposes of which is to capture the European trade held by American producers. In the effort to compete with the American film the Germans are endeavoring to develop a "screen humor," which heretofore has been lacking in their productions. Virtually all Teutonic films, until recently, have dealt with historical, legendary and romantic subjects.

Some of the most ambitious German companies have engaged American directors and are striving to put American "pep" into their plays, to meet home consumption as well as export demands, for American films smuggled into the country during the last several months when importations were forbidden proved surprisingly popular.

RESULT OF SURVEY

A survey of the world film markets by interested Germans, disclosed American films were more popular than any others in Italy, England, Scandinavia and the Balkans, which led to a discussion of what was wrong with the German technique. The consensus of opinion seemed to be that the American films were "better handled" and were sprinkled generally with a lively humor.

This verdict was sharply criticized, however, by a number of German producers who hold to the opinion that German technique is bound to prevail over the "slap-stick comedy" and the "silly sentimental things produced only to show rows of white teeth and a smile."

The Germans early made an effort to compete in the American home market, and succeeded until recently in disposing of 300 expensive films, which, however, are still being held for release. An effort toword co-operation between American and German producers begun several months ago, appeared to stumble over the problem of cost and the uncertainty of the value of German money which made making of contracts difficult.

GERMAN HANDICAPS

Average cost of German films ranges between half a million and eight hundred million marks, while two or three films have been produced at a cost approximating ten million marks each.

Producers complain of their inability to secure good manuscripts, and at the same time admit they are unable to pay for new talent, which is being contracted in foreign countries. This and the fact that America is said to have a virtual monopoly of raw films is handicapping the Germans in their announced purpose of capturing the world film market.

The 72 firms which are co-operating announces, however, an increase in exports of finished films, which amounted in 12 months to 27,000,000 marks.

Motion picture houses in Germany also are reported increasing in popularity, the number having reached 3,731 with a daily attendance of 2,000,000. England has 3,000 and France 2,400 motion picture theatres.

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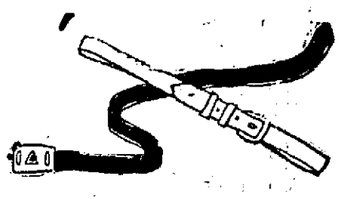

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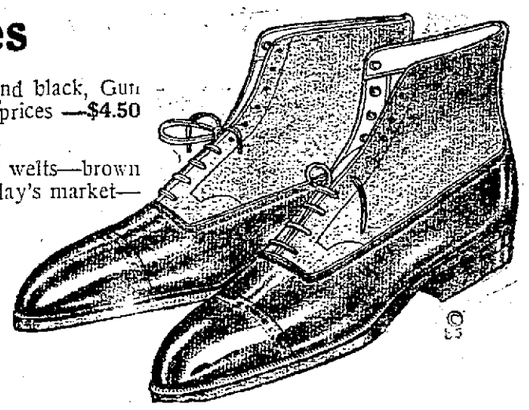

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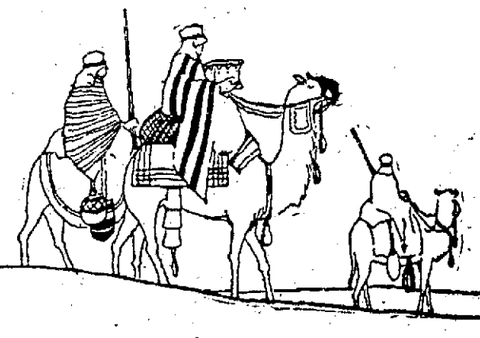

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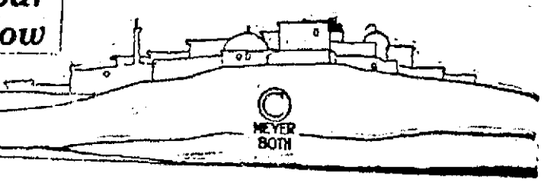

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To the Weatherman

OLD TOP: What about some real weather for Christmas? You've been mixing it up too much for comfort recently.

LIMA BEANE.

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To Shoppers

FRIENDS: My merchants tell me you have come thru nobly and have doné a great part of your Christmas buying early. Thanks. It is a humanitarian thing to do and you profit thereby. LIMA BEANE.

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To Mayor Burkhardt

DEAR FRANK: Seven hundred and fifteen days of fighting and still going strong. Fifteen days to go, with prospects of enough argument to require the time left. Going to have a record for one thing, eh Frank?

LIMA BEANE.

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To Ex-Governor Harmon

DEAR JUDSON: Politics is like a circus in many respects. One is that once it gets you it holds you. Perhaps that explains why, despite your retirement, you are willing to take another whirl at the governorship.

LIMA BEANE.

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To F. A. Bundy, Superintendent, City Street Car Lines

DEAR FRANK: Conductors on some of your cars call streets; others do not. Have you an order that this service be given? If not, why not? It's a big help to those patronizing your lines, especially after dark.

LIMA BEANE

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To Officials, Lima Locomotive Works

GENTLEMEN: While I'm making up the list of presents I would appreciate for Christmas, I cannot overlook a note to you. I would appreciate more than anything else the good news that you have received an order for a big bunch of locomotives. When you get it, watch us go! LIMA BEANE.

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To Service Director McClain

DEAR MAC: I'm informed that Spring-st between Jameson and Cole has been torn up for several days, but barricades have not been placed to protect autoists. I have heard a number of kicks from residents that they are tired of having their rest disturbed by unfortunate motorists trying to plow out of the mud. Please look after this.

LIMA BEANE.

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To Safety Director D. W. Dorris

DEAR DAVE: Your forethought in making it possible for the members of my police and fire departments to draw their salaries for the second fortnight period of December, at least a few days before Christmas, is evidence that your heart is in the right place.

'Twill assist them in providing a greater measure of the Yuletide spirit and enjoyment in their respective homes.

LIMA BEANE.

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To City Commissioners-Elect

MY FRIENDS: That your body is not afforded a permanent home, pending the departure of Mayor Burkhardt and his retinue from city hall after 15 more days have passed, is rather regrettable.

You should be provided with headquarters by the present administration, since you are to become the bosses on the job January 1. It would be a courtesy, commendable at least. LIMA BEANE

To Lima Merchants

MY FRIENDS: Your decision to keep your places of business open evenings, until Christmas, beginning Monday, is appreciated by my people—those who have not had the opportunity to do their Christmas shopping.

I realize it is an addition to the strenuous work of your clerks, but there are many of my people who are unable to do their shopping during the regular daylight hours.

Also, your intention of observing December 26 as Christmas, keeping your places of business closed, will afford an opportunity for your employes to enjoy real Yuletide pleasures. LIMA BEANE.

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To Superintendent J. E. Collins

MY DEAR PROF: It is gratifying to note your suggestion offered before the board of education of my city, to open the school gyms afternoons and evenings to students, has been favorably acted upon.

I believe this is a fine thing to do and I am sure the pupils of my schools will appreciate it. LIMA BEANE.

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To City Officials

FRIENDS: Action that has already been taken or which may be in contemplation, in the form of a war against old fashioned brick sidewalks, is not sufficient—until the last sidewalk of this character has been replaced.

Anyone who has ever stepped on the edge of a loose brick in wet weather and has suffered the discomfort of a geyser of a column of muddy water shooting up a trouser leg, will likely say amen to this.

Besides, brick sidewalks are fearfully uncomfortable things to walk on. They hurt feet like fun, when thin soled shoes are worn.

LIMA BEANE.

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To City Clubs

DEAR FRIENDS: Your decision to stage special Christmas events for the pleasure of poor kiddies of my city is commendable and I desire to congratulate you on the sentiment in your hearts that has prompted you to make happy the Yuletide season for others.

There are many little folks who would not otherwise have the opportunity to partake of the spirit of Christmas. I thank you, on behalf of the children. LIMA BEANE.

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To Motorists

MY FRIENDS: An accident on the Findlay-rd Wednesday night, in which an automobile driven by C. A. Arganbright, county superintendent, was badly damaged and the driver's life endangered, is an argument against motoring carelessness.

The law requires that tail lights on cars be kept burning. It is dangerous to yourself and to others to fail, refuse or neglect to obey this law. Also, there is too much laxity in obeying the law requiring headlights to be dimmed when approaching other cars on the road. LIMA BEANE.

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To American Legionnaires

BOYS: The Bureau of War Risk Insurance is functioning in better shape now. This emphasizes the necessity of making clear to all ex-service men these two points: ONE: If your insurance has been allowed to lapse, it may be reinstated by making application before January 1, 1922, the only exception being where a man is totally or permanently disabled; men partially disabled can reinstate, provided they offer proof that the disability resulted from service. TWO: Insurance now in force or reinstated before the first of the year, may be converted into ordinary life, limited payment or endowment forms at any time within five years from the declaration of peace.

Remember these points, boys of Lima and Allen-co. It is to your advantage.

LIMA BEANE.

SOMETHING NEW TO HOWL AT

YOU AND I : COMMENT ON TOPICS OF INTEREST TO ALL

LUNCH

When dany lunchrooms first came in and were known as "One-Arm Johnnies," there was much agitation, for fear Americans' digestive apparatus would be ruined by bolting food. It was a startling change from the period when pa walked home at noon

All danger of business men expiring from fast lunches seems successfully dodged The noon-day luncheon in the business world is becoming almost a religious rite Meet the gang at 12, shoot a game of pool, fuss over the "cuties," then listen to P. Percival Plaster's lecture on "Psychology of Pep" At 2.30, return to office Waiting salesmen sigh.

Why not rush this tendency to its logical outcome, and either move office desks to lunchrooms or make the day a continuous meal with no interruption between breakfast and evening dinner?

JAZZ

Scientists, who study mankind as solemnly as if we were peculiar beetles, are trying to trace the origin of jazz music.

The trail leads thru the south, back to the black boys of the African jungle. The negro stands alone in the ability to play jazz He even plays ghosts of notes that actually cannot be written for sheet music, according to Louis Rich, Cleveland orchestra leader and the only musician in the world with a cost system.

Negroes have the jungle in mind when they call jazz "monkey music" It was negroes, in scarlet uniforms, that gave us the circus band, forerunner of all jazz.

SOLUTION

In Wales, the smoke and fumes from a copper smelter destroyed all nearby vegetation. The smelter owners were told to junk their plant. They compromised by building the world's highest chimney, two miles in length, extending up a sloping mountain.

This peculiar engineering feat demonstrates one of the most fundamental truths—that every problem has a solution. Don't be discouraged. Seek the way out. It exists. You'll find it, if you look long enough.

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HEALTH TALKS

Common Sense Ways to Keep Well

—CARE OF THE EARS—

THE human body is an exceedingly delicate instrument and probably one of its most delicate organs is the ear.

The ear is in direct and close relation to the brain. It has three parts, external, middle and internal and all these are most intimately connected.

Permanent harm often results from abuse of the external ear, that part which stands out from the head. The harm thus done, however, is to the parts you cannot see, the internal and middle ear.

A child's ears should never be pulled or slapped. This, too often results in inflammation of the middle ear and the inner ear may take on the same condition.

The outstanding part of the external ear is thin and unprotected by fatty tissues so that when it is exposed to cold it becomes frost-bitten sooner than any other part of the body. It should be protected from freezing.

When exposed to heavy air pressure in a tunnel or when there is heavy cannonading or blasting, the mouth should be partly open to permit equal pressure on either side of the drum membrane which is an extremely thin membranous tissue dividing the external from the middle ear.

The healthy ear should never be cleaned beyond the surfaces that are plainly in view. The wax will naturally accumulate and work out into the external ear, where it can be removed without danger.

Children should be taught that it is dangerous to put things in the ears. If any little object should get into the ear it must not be dug after. A doctor should be consulted. If medical aid cannot be had, a careful syringing is the best method of removing foreign bodies.

In case animate things such as insects get into the ear, it is advisable to pour olive, cottonseed or other pure neutral oil in the auditory canal to kill and remove them. The common use of oil for earache is bad treatment as it is hard to remove and frequently becomes gummy or collects dirt.

The ear is often injured by snuffing fluids up the notsrils which may cause inflammation of the eustachian tube. This tube is a little duct leading from the mouth cavity to the middle ear.

Good Looks Follow Good Health

If You're a Young Woman This Advice is For You.

Medina, Ohio—"Before I reached womanhood I was a delicate girl and in a rundown condition, and I have always suffered severe pains. Thru an aunt of mine I heard of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and took it, and it helped me very much. I can recommend this medicine to any one troubled with the above symptoms."—Mrs. David Watkins, 203 W. Washington St.

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AS YOU LIKE IT

The Indiana bank robbed three times this year has nothing on the baby's bank.

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The Frenchman trying out an auto with wings will leave a wife and several children.

The real idle wheels of commerce have "E Pluribus Unum" on them.

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Nights are getting long enough for bootleggers to make three trips.

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Tommy O'Connor, who broke jail to keep from being hung, was afraid he couldn't stand the suspense

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Foch has attacked and defeated 200 banquets.

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Corsets eliminate waist motion.

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There is no better way to reduce than worrying over Japan.

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After killing off so many guides, hunters hereafter should let their conscience be their guide.

Some girls stay single, others dance.

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Fashion notbs saying skirts will be full, don't say what of

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Our idea of fun is a plumber kicking because central is slow.

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Dear Santa, bring dad some bills whose first names are dollar.

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With peace in Ireland where will the world get its crises?

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"What will I cook?" doesn't worry mother as much as it does father

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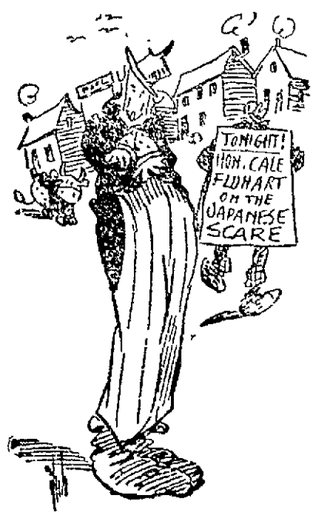
"Honesty," it is said, "is the best policy." But railroad officials continue to prosper.

ABE MARTIN



Public sentiment is overwhelmingly behind Constable Plum in his stubborn fight t' break up th' practice of includin' chicken necks in giblet pies. Tipton Bud is raisin' a set o' Airedale whiskers.

POEMS YOU WILL ENJOY

By BERTON BRALEY

CANDLE ROBBERS

(The bolsheviki have suppressed fairy tales dealing with kings, princes, princesses and references to the supernatural.—News Note).

There, little Russ, don't cry,
They're crushing your dreams, I know,
For fairy-tale princes and fairy-tale kings
To Bolshevik leaders are dangerous things,
And stories like that must go!
But we'll read you a bolshevik pamplet dry,
There, little Russ, don't cry!

There, little Russ, don't cry,
They've robbed you of bliss, it's true;
And the little stories you loved to hear
Of magical princesses sweet and dear
Have lately become taboo.
And the queens of the fairy-tales must die—
But there, little Russ, don't cry!

There, little Russ, don't cry,
Though they've taken those tales away,
No form of government ever stood
By flinching the joy out of babyhood
And taking the fun from play;
Those tales will come back to you, bye and bye,
There, little Russ, don't cry!

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LEARNS U. S. IS NOT AT WAR

Arctic Adventurer Returns, Seeks Enlistment to Fight Germans

3 YEARS IN FROZEN NORTH

Tells Interesting Story of Life of the Eskimos

ROME, Alask.—(By Associated Press)—An Artic adventurer, B. D. Seamon, sailed into Nome from the frozen north yesterday and, not knowing that the war was over, tried to enlist in the American army so he could fight in France.

Seaman said he had been three years getting to Nome from the Coronation Gulf country, which lies far east on Canada's Arctic coast and during his journey had received no news from the outside world. He left the gulf, he declared, in October, 1918, when he first heard the United States had entered the war. Seaman was formerly a member of the then Royal Northwest Mounted Police

SCHOONER WRECKED.

Soon after Seaman started for Nome the small schooner on which he was journeying was wrecked in the ice, he said, and he and his companions were forced to walk twenty-seven days before they came to an Eskimo village. On their way they lived on roots.

Seaman gave an interesting description of the life of the Eskimos of Coronation Gulf. The natives, he said, 'll use the bow and arrow but are gradually getting accustomed to the use of firearms, which were introduced recently. The natives live on caribou and seal.

A rifle in the Coronation country sells for $160, cartridges for thirty cents each, sugar is $1 a pound, butter $3.80 a pound and milk $1 a can, Seaman said. The cost of clothing, however, a "parka" cape being sold for $4, muckluks, or native shoes, for 50 cents a pair and fine fur mittens for three boxes of one-cent matches.

Mounted police in the Coronation country get mail sometimes three years old. Once, before he left, a constable got quick service on a letter, it being delivered from England in thirteen months.

Seaman said he probably would a big pot of trouble like a world war a big pot of troule like a world war doesn't reach us until it is all over."

TAKEN FOR NON-SUPPORT

Sheriff Charles Baxter returned from Tiffin Thursday afternoon, with Fred Burrows, indicted by the recent grand jury, on a charge of non-support of his minor children. He was arrested in the Seneca-co town. Burrows, a resident in 205 E. Elm-st, is a boilermaker.

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NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

The Municipal Civil Service Commission of Lima, Ohio will hold competitive examinations on Tuesday, December 20, 1921 at 7 30 o'clock P M., in the Council Chamber in The Old City Building, West High Street, Lima, Ohio, for the purpose of providing an eligible list from which to make appointments as follows.

1 Chief of police 2 Captain of Police. 3 Sergeant of Police 4. Patrolman. 5. Fireman 6 School Janitor

Application blanks may be had by calling at the office of Benj S Motter, Domestic Building, Lima, Ohio.

Where the annual salary exceeds $600 00 and is less than $1000.00 the examination fee will be 50c, where the annual salary is $1000 00 or more the examination fee will be $1 00

The Municipal Civil Service Commission of Lima, Ohio
By Francis Durbin, Secy.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE
No 20183.
L. E. Parker, Plaintiff,
vs.
P W Shane, Defendant.

Before Ernest M Bothin, justice of the peace of Ottawa township, Allen County, Ohio.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of December, 1921, said justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled case for the sum of $16 50 and costs in this case.

Said case will be for hearing on January 18th, 1922, at nine o'clock a m.
L. E. Parker, Plaintiff.
12-9-3wks

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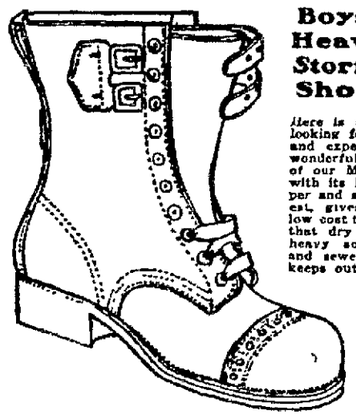

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Society News

Miss Mary Curry, of Shawnee, delightfully entertained the members of the Kantor Klan club at her home, Thursday evening. The time was spent informally, after which the hostess served a dainty two-course luncheon. A Christmas Box was the feature of the evening.

Members present included Miss Blanche Feth, Miss Esther Wagner, Miss Irene Kelly, Miss Zelpha Caskey, Miss Blanche Wisterman, Miss Donna Sheely and the hostess.

The club will meet in two weeks with Miss Irene Kelley, of S. Scott-st.

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Ainsworth Kahle will return to this city Monday from Germantown, where he is a student at Miami Military Academy, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. P. A. Kahle, of W. Market-st.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ashley returned to their home in Erie, Pa., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ashley, of N. Elizabeth-st.

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Mrs. Clay Cotterman, of W. McKibben-st, was hostess to the members of the Excelsior club Thursday. All members responded to roll call with Christmas quotations. The rooms were prettily decorated with Yuletide decorations. Mrs. H. D. Rohn read an interesting paper and in a clever contest Mrs. Howard Helmer was successful among the members and Mrs. J. W. Newell among the guests. A Christmas grab bag was an enjoyable feature of the afternoon. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. Guests were Mrs. J. W. Newell and Mrs. A. L. Ransbottom.

Next meeting will be held Thursday, December 29th with Mrs. Charles Weldy, of N. Jameson-av.

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John Douglas, a student at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburg arrived in this city Friday morning to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Douglas, of W. Spring-st.

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Memers of the Armistad Bridge club and a group of guests were entertained at 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. C. D. Gamble, of W. Market-st. Thursday. Holly wreathes and other decorations suggestive of the Yuletide season were affectively arranged. A miniature Santa Claus as a place card marked seated at the dining room table while guests occupied smaller tables. Mrs. J. R. Welch, of Spencerville and Mrs. Morgan Newton assisted the hostess. In the bridge playing, Mrs. Miller Laudick held high score among the members and Mrs. R. A. Buchanan among the guests.

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Members of the Fortnightly Bridge club were entertained with a 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. M. S. Thompson, of W. Market-st, Thursday. Appointments were in keeping with the season. Mrs. Frank Mitchell held high score in the bridge playing. Substitutes were Mrs. O. E. Chenoweth, Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, Mrs. E. M. Gooding and Mrs. Chester Cable.

Next meeting will be held with Mrs. Frank Baxter, of N. Charles-st.

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Miss Dorothy Kahle, a student at Miss Semple's School, Central Park, New York, will arrive in this city Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kahle, of W. Market-st.

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Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Beauchamp, of N. Metcalf-st, have returned from Cincinnati.

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Mrs. Howard Napier, of S. Elizabeth-st, entertained the members of the Child's Conservation League. Ten members were in attenance Thursday afternoon. "Social Service" was the subject for the afternoon. Mrs. Lydia Carnes and Mrs. Charles Schrader gave interesting papers. Following the program the hostess served a dainty luncheon.

The Christmas party will be held with Mrs. Ralph Runyan, of N. Jameson-ave, Thursday, December 29th.

Oliver M. Leith, who is attending the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia returns home Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Evans, of W. North-st.

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Miss Josephine Purtscher, a student at Mt. Holyoke College Hadley, Mass., will arrive in this city next Wednesday to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Purtscher, of N. Metcalf-st.

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Board meeting of the Missionary Union will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday at 2:30 p. m. All members requested to be present.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday

Dinner for Young men of Trinity M. E. Young People's class, Hotel Barr, 7 p. m.

Auxiliary Unit of American Legion, Memorial Hall, 7:30 p. m.

T. and T. club. Judge and Mrs. Kent Hughes.

K. of P. Dance, Castle Hall.

Saturday

Home Guards of Trinity M. E. church, at church, 2:30 p. m.

Board meeting of Missionary Union, Y. M. C. A., 2:30 p. m.

Ladies of G. A. R. entertain at dinner honoring Civil War Veterans and their wives and widows of the Veterans, Memorial Hall, 5 p. m.

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Mrs. O. J. Neuman, of W. High-st, was hostess to the members of the Heureaux Temps club, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Earl Dorsey read "Outwitting the Water Demons of Cashmir" from the Geographical Magazine. Mrs. W. R. Rudy played a piano number, "L'Sois Bois," by Staub. Mrs. R. J. Cranston, Mrs. W. J. Placie, Mrs. R. G. Kuhn and Mrs. Harry Baldwin were successful in the contests. The annual Christmas grab bag was enjoyed, Mrs. I. L. Morris and Mrs. R. L. Kuhn assisting the hostess.

Guests other than members included Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. R. J. Cranston, Mrs. I. L. Morris, Mrs. C. H. Crow and Mrs. W. J. Placie.

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Thursday, Mrs. Louis C. Bradshaw, of Leland-av, entertained informally at 1 o'clock luncheon for the pleasure of the Y. W. C. A. secretaries, the wives of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries and a few guests. Following the luncheon, the afternoon was enjoyed socially and Mrs. Kyle W. Booth favored with several piano numbers.

Guests included Miss Ruth Seymour and her mother, Mrs. Seymour, Miss Grace Reynolds, Miss Mary Garford, Mrs. E. A. Leason, Mrs. Spencer C. Biddle, Mrs. Roy Huff, Mrs. I. G. Maxwell, Mrs. C. E. English, Mrs. J. D. Allen, Mrs. Kyle W. Booth, Mrs. Claud Waller, Miss Margaret Carpenter, Miss Frances Vogel. Miss Vogel was connected with the Y. M. C. A. for some time but is now office secretary at the Y. W. C. A.

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Sixteen members were in attendance at an enjoyable all day meeting of the Hawthorne club, Thursday with Mrs. Harry White. Mrs. A. Arnold and Mrs. C. S. Zimmerly were received as new members. Mrs. Ray Copeland read "The Star of Bethlehem" and in the contest Mrs. Arnold was successful. Mrs. Albert Thiede was the only guest. Members of the club will prepare a Christmas basket for a family in need.

Next meeting of the club will be held in a fortnight with Mrs. J. K. Fetter, of S. Collett-st.

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All members of the junior department of Trinity M. E. Sunday school are cordially invited to attend the regular meeting of the Home Guards at the church, Saturday at 2:30 p. m. A Christmas program will be presented and a Christmas party will follow. All are asked to kindly bring something, if possible, for the Christmas basket, which is being prepared for an orphan's home.

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Sunday at 7:30 p. m. the Young People's class of Trinity M. E. church will give the dramatization of the story, "Why the Chimes Rang," by Raymond MacDonald Alden at the church. The public is invited.

Mrs. Foss Zartman presided at the meeting of the Shakespeare Study club, Thursday afternoon in the Christ Episcopal parish house.

Mrs. Paul DeWeese read Act 5 of "Tartuffe." Assisting her in the reading were Mrs. Foss Zartman, Mrs. F. P. Stafford, Mrs. Ross Mullen, Mrs. A. N. Wisely, Mrs. E. C. Abrams, Mrs. J. H. Harrison, and Mrs. Winona Vinson Forrer. Mrs. A. D. Peters was in charge of the discussion, "Similar Charactertistics of Moliere and Shakespeare."

The next meeting will be in the form of a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Hotel Barr, January 5th. This will be the guest day. Mrs. F. G. Richards, head of the English department at Miami University will deliver a lecture and Mrs. Katherine Gramm Shrider will give a harp solo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hammond left Thursday for the east where they will spend the holidays visiting relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clair Stump, of N. Charles-st, welcomed the members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club, this week. Mrs. L. H. Hammond, Miss Flora Garretson, F. A. Derck and L. H. Hammond held high scores. A delicious luncheon was served following the play. Meetings will be postponed until after the holidays.

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McCabe Howe, of N. Collett-st, left Friday for a short business trip to the southern part of the state. Upon his return home he will be accompanied by his daughter, Miss Marian, who will remain with her father for the Christmas vacation. Miss Marian is a student at the Columbia School for Girls.

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J. R. Smith and daughters, Misses Ruth and Brookie, are in Tampa, where they will spend the winter months.

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Class No. 5 of the First Christian church met all day Wednesday with Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Watkins and daughter, Irma, of W. Elm-st. At noon luncheon was served. The afternoon was enjoyed informally and Alfred Shumate favored with a solo.

Those present included Mrs. Edna Lichty and son, David, Mrs. George N. Shafer, Mrs. Charles Martz, Mrs. G. L. Harris, Mrs. George Shaffer, Mrs. E. H. Hammons, Mrs. W. V. Craig, Mrs. Mable Cramer, Mrs. M. F. Neufer, Mrs. Edward Hall, Mrs. Cora Helpman, Mrs. J. K. Fetter, Mrs. Allie Barber, Mrs. S. T. Mason, Mrs. Carlton, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Emma Weber and the host and hostess. Only guests were Mrs. Allen Smith and daughter, Mary.

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Miss Betty Atmur, a student at Irving college, Mechanicsburg, Pa., will arrive in this city Saturday to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Atmur, of W. Wayne-st.

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Trotty Veck club of the Y. W. C. A. will hold a Christmas bazaar at the Ottawa Paint shop, Saturday.

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LETTERS TO LOVERS

BY WINONA WILCOX.

Her "nerves" have long been woman's excuse for getting her own way. A decade ago, nervous prostration accounted conveniently for almost anw disability. A little later neurasthenia described the same states of ill health and justified almost any amount of dependence upon relatives and friends.

Today the vetim of nerves is classed as neurotic. Students of the mind and of human behaior say that there are as many men neurotics as women.

Victims of neuroses do not like to have the word applied to them. It sounds like a disease—which it is.

Nagging wives are neurotic and so are tyrannical husbands.

I have been reading letters from women for nearly 15 years. When I began to do so, it was the custom to suggest that the nagging wife could be cured by a little judicious neglect and that kindness would modify the manners of a male tyrant.

And that remained the common opinion, even after the theories had been worked out to zero in untold hundreds of unhappy homes.

Today psychology explains the neurotic but doesn't always prescribe a cure. Some samples of him are thus described by wives:

No. 1. "After four years of married life, I haven't a friend except my husband. He has arranged things so that my girl friends have ceased to call upon me. Of course I can't talk to the boys I used to know. My husband sneers if a man takes off his hat to me in the street."

No. 2. — "My children and I live in fear of my husband's explosions. He will be a splendid father for a while and suddenly, if any one of us differs from his opinion, he will spoil everything by a fit of temper."

No. 3. "No matter how diplomatic I am I cannot keep peace in my home. My husband nags from dawn to night, but in public he is always the jolly good fellow."

Volumes might be written about the neurotic who takes the joy out of a wife's life. But briefly, the neurotic is a sick man who desires to stay sick. He enjoys his sprees of temper, jealousy and tyranny. By dominating a weak woman he makes himself feel strong.

He is the hardest person on earth to live with ecause his ego-urge is the little god of his life which must be appeased daily and hourly by the members of his family.

Freud says that the neurotic is made so before he is six years old.

If that is true, the wife hasn't much chance of making him over.

Just as some men enjoy getting angry, some women delight in weeping and wailing. As destroyers of domestic comfort, they are not surpassed by the male neurotics. Succeeding letters tell what some of their husbands think of them.

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DIANA

REVENGE is sweet, Diana, but sometimes it is bitter. The young man was very much at fault, but you too did wrong. Your friend was extremely unkind and ungentlemanly to break an engagement with you without giving you some kind of an excuse. However, you were very, very unwise in calling him and demanding a reason. Your better judgement should have told you that was not the proper thing for you to do.

In the second place, it was very rude and undignified for you to cut short the young man's excuse, when he endeavored to apologize to you and for you to childishly call him a name. Certainly you didn't get any satisfaction out of that. It was such a silly thing to do. Whether or not you credited his excuse, the proper thing for you to have done was to accept it courteously and let it go at that.

In the future, do not sit at home and wait for a chance call when you have no definite engagement. It never pays. Nine times out of ten one doesn't receive the call he or she is anticipating when sitting around waiting for it.

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Dear Miss Smart:

I am a girl of 13 and am going with a young man from out of town. We see each other only every two or three weeks. Is it proper for me to go to the shows with other gentlemen company? He does not want me to go with anyone else, but it is very lonesome here in the evenings. I cannot attend the shows, dances and amusements unaccompanied. Give me your advice. (2) My mother does not wait me to have my hair bobbed, but I wish to. Should I oflow the wishes of my mother or my own?

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(1) Evidently you and the young man are not engaged. In that case why shouldn't you accept invitations from your other friends? Your friend has no right to tell you what you should and what you should not do. That is for you to decide. Do not be rude about it, but simply explain to him that it is not so pleasant to spend your evenings alone and that if you receive an invitation to go out occasionally, you see no harm whatsoever in accepting. Of course I presume you feel it is your hair, but natually your mother feels that you are her daughter and accordingly should do as she dictates, even when it comes to bobbing the hair. Better respect your mother's wishes. She doubtless knows best.

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BY DAVID GRAY

At Boyd's house, Mary Crewe received Pike and Rivers.

"Mary," said Pike abruptly, "do you know whether your uncle sent any wireless telegrams from the ship?"

"He sent one yesterday in code," she answered, "to a man named Dawson. The address was the firm's, Andrews, Boyd & Hopkins."

Pike nodded thoughtfully. "Don't go out. Don't see anyone except the servants unless Rivers is with you."

Shortly before seven, Pike entered the towering office-building where Andrews, Boyd & Hopkins had conducted their business. One elevator was still running. It bore him swiftly to the fourteenth floor, sank again and disappeared. He crossed the hall to a lettered door and put his ear close to the lass. From some inner room came the muffled ticking of a typewriter, halting and irregular. Pike knocked sharply. There was no response, but the ticking ceased. He knocked again, but within there was on stir of life.

He called sharply: "Is Mr. Dawson there?"

Shuffling steps approached the door. A querulous voice called: "The office is closed. Who is it?"

"Colonel Pike," was the answer. "It is important that I see Mr. Dawson."

The door opened a crack and an old man peered thru. "Are you Colonel Pike?"

"I am; your are Mr. Dawson?" The door opened and Pike went in.

"Mr. Dawson," he said, "if possible, I wish to see Mr. Boyd's private office."

"You can see it," the old man answered, and opened a door. Three leather-covered chairs set in a semi-circle faced a flat-topped desk. Behind this stood a swing chair. On the desk lay the dispatch case that ha hung from the hook in Boyd's cabin. It was empty. On the wall space behind the desk-chair hung a large engraving.

"Nothing has been done here. I suppose," said Pike.

"Nothing, exiept that the window on the right has been closed."

Pike seated himself in the swinging desk-shair and said:

"Mr. Dawson, you stood in rather confidential relation to Mr. Boyd?"

"That's true."

"Yesterday Mr. Boyd sent you instructions by wireless to have certain apparatus installed, last night."

"Yes, sir."

"The switch I find under the desk. And here—" he rose and swung back the engraving from the wall, "is evidently the receiving mechanism. Does anyone in the office know bat you?"

"I don't see how they could," Dawson answered. "It was put in at night. The receiver is under my desk in my private office. I keep it locked."

"Good," said Pike. "Now, Dawson, do you know with whom Mr. Boyd expected to use this apparatus?"

The old man shook his head.

"No sir, he said if anything should happen to him I was to deliver the records to Colonel Pike. 'You can get his address from my niece, Miss Crewe,' he said."

"Suppose we see what you've got recorded," Pike said. "I fancy you were typwriting them off when I knocked."

"There is only one, sir, only part of one," the old man answered.

They passed out and entered a partitioned-off space furnished with desks and typewriters for four stenographers. On a stand by one of the desks stood the office phonograph with a cylinder upon it, a third of it scored with the lines of the recording needle.

Pike listened to the record. "I'm sorry you used his name, but we won't discuss that now. There's one thing that I want to get straightened out right away."

It was Boyd speaking.

A grinding pause, then a second voice: "What's that?"

"About the money that we paid over. It seems that none of it was found in his estate."

"You've got your voucher with his endorsement on it. I told you at the time that he bought a block of my bonds and endorsed your checks over to me. What he did with the bonds I don't know. All that concerns us is that we gave him the bonds."

"No, it isn't."

"What's the matter?"

"A good deal's the matter. We've got to face a show-down."

"Well, we'll have a show-down, then! I've got all the receipts."

"I wish you'd let me have them."

"I will tomorrow."

"I want 'em tonight."

"I can't go into this matter now. I told you when you telephoned me and asked me to come in. I've got an appointment uptown at half-past four."

"Did Lassiter say anything to you about where he was going to keep his securities?"

"I don't think he did. Anyway I dont' remember. Does the boy know it was I who made the payments?"

"He doesn't know anything about you, not yet; but I wish you'd get those receipts for me tonight.

"I tell you it's impossible tonight."

"You'll let me have them in the morning?"

"Yes, indeed." There was a grinding pause. "Say, Harry, did you ever see anything like this?"

Another grinding pause. "What is it?"

"Do you se the pearl light in it?" Hold it this way. Now look."

No more words came. Boyd had thrown the switch.

Pike stopped the machine and took out the ear-pieces.

"Dawson," he said at last, "what time was this record made?"

"It finished at twenty minutes to four, sir. I heard the buzzing of the machine stop and I looked at my watch."

"And you have no idea who Mr. Boyd's visitor was?"

"No, sir. I might say I could make out Mr. Boyd's voice because I know it, but for the other—" he shook his head.

Five minutes later, with the typewritten transcript in his pocket, and carrying in his hand the cylinder in its wool-lined box, Pike again was threading the desolate canno of Wall Street. A Madison avenue street car set Pike down at Boyd's street. He suddenly found himself in the path of a man. They looked at each other and the man passed on.

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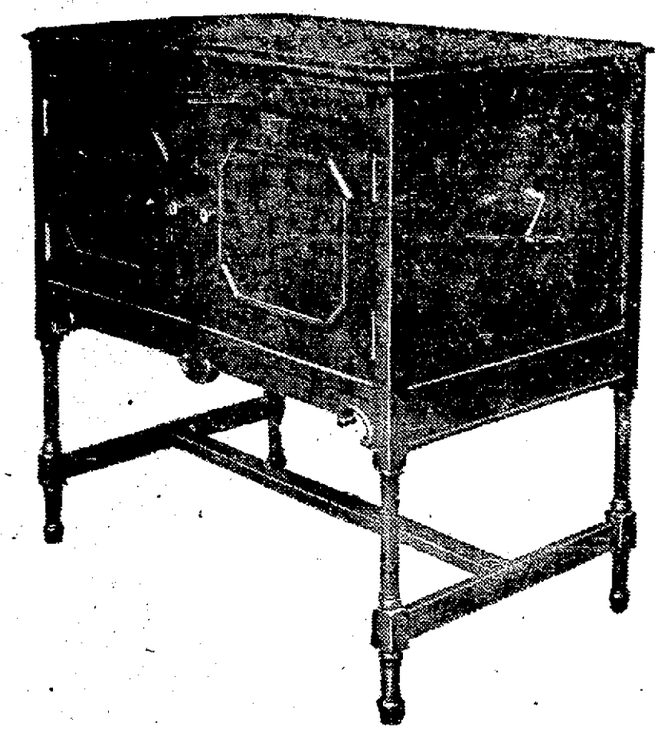

Genuine Mahogany Baby Grand Console with Victrola Equipment

Record albums, etc., for only $150.00 on easy club plan terms

DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME

On the Payment of

$10.00 NOW BALANCE ON CLUB PLAN

Nowhere in Ohio can you buy this beautiful console. It is made exclusively for Lima's New Victrola store and we have only 25 for Xmas delivery.

This Beautiful Console Contains a GENUINE VICTROLA With Guaranteed Motor And is exactly as illustrated above for $150.00

Open Evenings Till Xmas

JOHN'S MUSIC STORE

"The Home of the Victrola"

134 W. HIGH ST. "Look for the Big Victor Dog" OPP. POST OFFICE

For Xmas
Feather Pillows

An appropriate gift for wife or mother would be a pair of these fine pillows, filled with the finest down and goose feathers, covered with extra quality art ticking. Priced per pair—

$5.25

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For Men--Knit Ties

Hundreds of hanhome ties in this lot. Plain colors or with stripes and figures. Made of best quality mercerized yarns 59c

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For Xmas
Wool Blankets

Plain gray wool blankets with wide pink or blue stripe borders. Extra large size 72x80 inches. A practical Xmas gift appreciated in almost any home. Our price per pair only—

$7.45

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Beacon Blankets for Gifts

Beacon blankets with their bright cheerful colorings are always very popular for gifts. Their uses are so varied that it is quite easy to select one that will please any member of the family.

Beacon Bed Comfortables, 72x90 inches $11.50
Beacon Bed Comfortables, bound ends $7.00
Beacon Bed Blankets, plaid patterns $9.50
Beacon Bed Blankets, 72x84 inches $5.95
Beacon Steamer Rugs, 66x80 inches $7.25
Beacon Traveling Rugs, plaid patterns $5.25
Beacon Indian Blankets, 66x80 inches $7.50
Beacon Bath Robe Blankets, with cords $5.50

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Table Linens for Gifts

Table linens at the new low prices are very desirable for Xmas gifts and what gift would be more appreciated by any woman than a snowy white cloth or a dozen napkins?

Linen Table Cloth with 12 napkins $18.50
Linen Table Cloth, size 72x72 inches $9.50
Linen Table Cloth, size 70x70 inches $6.75
Linen Table Cloth, round scalloped, 70 inch $9.50
Linen Table Cloth, hemstitched, 54x54 inches $6.00
Linen Napkins, size 22x22 inches $7.50
Linen Napkins, size 22x22 inches $10.00
Linen Napkins, size 22x22 inches $12.50

BARGAIN BASEMENT

Practical Gifts at Greatly Reduced Prices

A careful canvas of our stock has revealed a few items on which we are over stocked. To avoid carry over Christmas we have decided to reduce the price at once on some articles—the reduction is to nearly half our regular price.

Sweaters — All wool men's sweaters, coats or slip overs— $7.75

Comforts — Fine new cotton flowered coverings, $4.85

Blankets — Woolnap blankets, size 72x80 inches— $3.69

Shirting — Madras Shirting, woven stripes, all colors— 79c

Crepe — Mercerized lingerie, crepe, white or flesh— 39c

Plaids — Cotton plaid dress goods, 27 inches wide— 17c

Dresses — Ladies' gingham house dresses, plaids— 79c

Petticoats — Mercerized satteen, plain colors, all sizes— $4.49

Bloomers — Figured Satteen and poplin, dark colors— 59c

House Jacket — Percale in light, dark or gray patterns— 79c

Camisoles — Flesh colored silk, lace and ribbon trimmed— 49c

Aprons — Light colored percale tie aprons, cut large— 15c

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House Aprons for Gifts

For practical and useful Xmas gifts we suggest one or more of these house aprons which are made in the Apex factory right here in Lima. The best of materials and workmanship at reasonable prices.

Percale — Slipover style, tie back 98c
Gingham — Open front with belt $1.59
Gingham — small checks, tie back $1.98
Percale — Neat small patterns with ties $2.49
Gingham — small checks, 5 styles $2.69
Sateen — black, with cretonne $2.49
Sateen — with large big, wide ties 98c

BARGAIN BASEMENT

Silk Camisoles for Gifts

Flesh colored silk camisoles and envelope chemise in a very nice assortment of neat styles. Trimmed with lace, ribbon and hand embroidered. A complete range of sizes.

Camisoles — Flesh color, neat styles 98c
Camisoles — Several styles at this price $1.25
Camisoles — All colors, very well made $1.49
Envelope Chemise — flesh color dotted mull $1.49
Envelope Chemise — several styles $2.25
Envelope Chemise — with hand embroidery $2.98

BARGAIN BASEMENT

For Xmas
Girls' Aprons

Latest style black satteen coverall aprons for girls 6 to 16 years of age. Slipover style with wide sash, trimmed with cretonne. A practical apron for home or school.

$1.49

BARGAIN BASEMENT

For Babies--Bootees

Why not give baby a pair of these warm serviceable bootees for Xmas. Made of wool yarn, trimmed in blue or pink. Per pair 49c

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For Xmas
Pettibockers

Apex make pettibockers in white or flesh colored, fine mercerized satteen, two rows elastic at knee. Double stitched and reinforced—

$1.98

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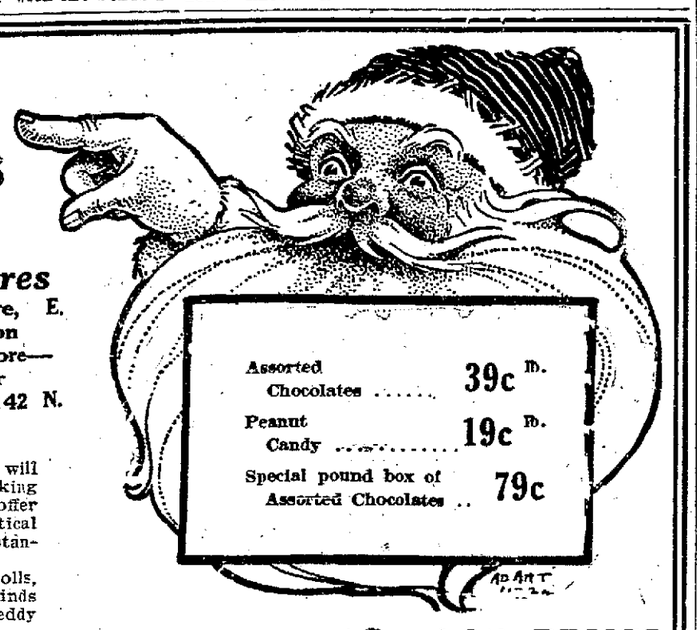
Get It At

Thompson's



Assorted Chocolates ..... 39c lb.
Peanut Candy ..... 19c lb.
Special pound box of Assorted Chocolates .. 79c

3 Drug Stores

Interurban Drug Store, E. Market and Union
Thompson Drug Store—Transfer Corner
Public Drug Store, 142 N. Main

Our complete stocks will be helpful to you in making selections. Below we offer suggestions, all practical gifts of the highest standard.

Dolls — Walking Dolls, Clown Dolls, and all kinds of dolls, 25c up; Teddy Bears, $1.00 up.
Stationery—Excellent quality in high class boxes from 50c up.
Candies—We have the exclusive agency for Maillard chocolates, also Lowney's boxed chocolates and Bunte's hard candies and bulk candy.
Cigars—All standard brands in boxes of 25, 50 and 100.
Smoking Stands and brass Smoking Sets.
Poker Sets, Playing Cards.
Eversharp Pencils—50c up.
Conklin Fountain Pens—$2.75 up.
Waterman Fountain Pens—$2.50 up.
Brush and Comb Sets, wood backs, etc., $2.00 up.
Toilet Sets—Ivory, bone, wood and all kinds and all prices.
Manicure Sets in ivory, bone and wood at all prices.
Ivory Toilet Sets, separate ivory pieces, Hair Receivers, Powder Boxes, Calendars, Hat Brushes, etc.
Cloth Brushes, Military Brushes.
Leather Collar Bags.
Infant Brush and Comb Sets.
Dominoes—25c up.
Parchesi—$1.25.
Pit, Rook, Finch—75c.
Tinker Toys—All the different kinds they make.
Perfumes—Toilet Waters.

Electrical Household Appliances Make Great Gifts

Hot Point Iron, $6.95.
White Cross Iron, $6.75.
American Beauty, $8.50.
Hold Heet Curling Iron, $3.50.
Universal Curling Iron, $7.50.
Folding Electric Stove, $5.50.
Other styles $2.00-$4.75-$6.50.
Violet Ray Generators, $12.50.
Electric Vibrators, $5.00 and $12.50.
Look over our stock before buying.

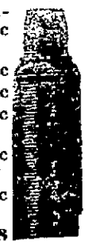
KODAKS

For Young or Old Give Kodaks

Specials in DRUGS TOILET GOODS and REMEDIES

Saturday at Thompson's 3 Drug Stores

50c Mulsified Cocoanut Oil ..39c
50c Sempre Jovenay 39c
50c Derma Viva 39c
$1.00 Mavis Toilet Water ...87c
35c Williams' Shaving Cream or Stick 29c
25c Johnson's Baby Talc 19c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste ..39c
$1.50 Three Flower Toilet Water $1.39
$2.50 No-Seam Combination $1.98
40c Fletcher's Castoria 31c
$1.25 Pinkham's Compound $1.00
$1.10 Vitamon 87c
Nature's Remedy 19c-39c-79c
$1.50 Carey's Marshroot ...$1.15
25c Hinkle's Pills 17c
$1.25 Evans' Triple Phosphates 96c
50c White Pine Cough Syrup 39c
60c Turpo 48c
$1.00 Bottle of 5 gr. Genuine Aspirin Tablets 69c
$1.25 Carey's Medic Yeast Tablets 96c
75c Rheuma 69c
25c Laxa-Pirin 19c
$1.25 Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid 95c
50c Drake's Cough Remedy 30c
$3.75 Horlick's Malted Milk $2.98



"Thompson Pays the Tax"

All Best Gifts at All Thompson's 3 Drug Stores

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

RELATIVES GO TO AID OF GUIDER

Bluffton Man Charged With Bigamy in Detroit

Domestic relations are becoming more tangled in the trial of Charles R. Guider, 26, on an alleged bigamy charge in Detroit, Mich. Guider is said to have three wives. Mrs. Lillian Guider, the second wife, in her testimony, declared she has two husbands.

Guider's attorney is C. L. Fess, Lima. Fess found evidence which, he says, makes Guider's second marriage void. Mrs. Guider admitted she had married Calvin D. Steele, of Frederick, Md., 12 years ago when she was 16. They have three children. She married Guider without being divorced from Steele. She blames Guider's family for their troubles.

John C. Guider and Miss Margaret Guider, both of Bluffton, father and sister of the man on trial, have gone to Detroit to aid him. Names of Lima people, including Mayor F. A. Burkhardt, were given the court as references for the good name of the Guider family.

The trial is expected to continue the remainder of the week.

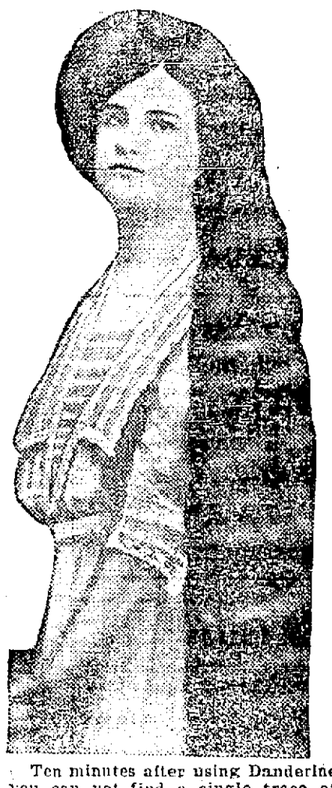
MESSAGES CROSS SEAS.

NEW YORK—More than 25 radio operators, working with short wave transmission sets, have succeeded in sending messages from the United States to Scotland, as a result of the competitive experimental test begun last week, it was announced here today by Professor A. N. Goldsmith, head of the electrical branch of the College of the City of New York. One of the successful contestants, he added, was located in Cleveland and others in states bordering the Atlantic.

"DANDERINE"

Grows Thick, Heavy Hair

35-cent Bottle Ends all Dandruff, Stops Hair Coming Out



Ten minutes after using Danderine you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first — yes — but really new hair — growing all over the scalp. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them, helping the hair to grow long, strong and luxuriant. One application of Danderine makes dull, lifeless, colorless hair look beautifully bright, lustrous, and just twice as abundant.—Adv.

P. P. Tessoff

1260 South Main
Cor. Main and Fourth

100 lbs. Sugar	$5.80
10 lbs. Sugar	58c
Potatoes, pk.	35c
Potatoes, bag	$3.25
10 lbs. Beans	60c
Rice, 3 lbs.	24c
Prunes, 2 lbs.	25c
Fancy Apricots, lb.	24c
Fancy Peaches, lb.	20c
Tall cans Milk, all kinds	11c
2 small cans Milk	11c
All Kinds Pork & Beans	10c
1½ lb. can Syrup	10c
Half Gal. Karo Syrup	30c
Gal. can Karo Syrup	50c
Catsup, bottle	10c
2 Cans Hominy	25c
2 cans Kraut	25c
3 pkgs. Macaroni or Spaghetti	24c
All Sardines, can	5c
All Kinds Washing Soap	5c & 7c
All Washing Powder	5c and 8c
3 lbs. Fancy Apples	25c
Corn Flakes	10c
All Flours, 24 lb.	90c
ALL KINDS of FRESH MEATS	
Round Steak	20c
Pork Chops	20c and 22c
Smoked Hams	26c
Fresh Hams	22c
Fresh Callies	12½c
Roast Beef	13c and 14c
Veal Chops	20c
Veal Roast	15c
Country Lard	11c
2 lbs. Oleomargine	45c
Creamery Butter	46c
All Bread	8 and 10c

FOUR FOUND UNCONSCIOUS BY POLICE AT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND — A woman, her two children and a man, said to be a brother of the woman, were found unconscious, under mysterious circumstances, when police broke into two small bedrooms in an apartment house on East Seventy-first-st this morning.

Between the two rooms a wash boiler full of water was steaming over a small gas burner and police say there was a strong smell of gas in the rooms.

Doctors at a hospital say, however, that the gas fumes affected them slightly. They contend the four are suffering from a form of ptomaine poisoning. The physicians said the exact condition of the patients will not be known for a day or two. All probably will recover.

The victims are:

Mrs. May Deveraux; Mary Deveraux, aged twelve; Raymond Deveraux, aged nineteen and George Arthanbault, 45, said to be a brother of Mrs. Deveraux.

ROSE'S SILVERWARE SALE — EVERY PIECE GUARANTEED — ROSE, THE JEWELER, 116 WEST HIGH STREET.

GUN OWNERSHIP IS MISSING LINK

Officers Unable to Trace Weapon Carried by Lightner

Putnam-co authorities Friday again took up investigation of evidence which may lead to detention of accomplices in the attempted holdup of Charles Doty, pool-room proprietor, Columbus Grove, Saturday night, which resulted in the fatal shooting of Oliver Lightner, Bluffton high school student.

W. J. Lammers, sheriff, his deputy, Nick Miller, Clinton W. Fawcett, prosecuting attorney, and Dr. A. F. Sheibley, coroner, made a trip to Bluffton Friday and questioned Raymond Thut, 25, son of Amos Thut, and Carl Miller, his neighbor, both of whom are said to have accompanied Lightner to Lima last Saturday night.

Inability of officials to establish ownership of the gun which Lightner carried at the time of the shooting is said to be the missing link in the chain of evidence. Until that information is supplied, officials expect to make little progress in their investigation.

While Raymond Thut says he will present three witnesses to testify he was in Bluffton at 11:40 p. m. Saturday, officials declare evidence in their hands tends to dispute Thut's alleged alibi.

The time of the hold-up and shooting occurred somewhere near that hour Saturday night.

3 JAILED IN HOLDUP.

AKRON.—Three negroes are in the Medina-co jail at Medina following the attempted holdup of a Baltimore and Ohio railroad construction gang, paid yesterday, at Seville, 25 miles west of here, at 3 p. m., Thursday. A posse directed by C. M. Burkholder and F. Pyle captured the men near Sterling. The men gave their names as Obadiah Shepherd, 22, Washington, D. C., William Punner, 29, Urichsville, and Earl Howard, 21, Farrel, Pa. One man, John Ignatiz, was shot thru the hand.

Buy your Xmas Slippers at E. & R. store between Bridge and Market House.

LIMA TRIO AID IN REVIVAL IN WEST

The Conner trio, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Enos G. Conner and Miss Helen Conner, all of 218 N. Washington-st, are being received most enthusiastically in Atwater, California, where they are conducting the musical program at a series of revival services.

Miss Conner is appearing in pantomime and her father, in addition to musical numbers, reads verses of human interest. According to reports in the newspapers there, farmers and ranchers every night fill the church. They also appeared in the public schools and Mrs. Conner addressed the Parent-Teachers' association.

Xmas Decorations at Dorsey's.

MILD WEATHER THROWS THOUSANDS OUT OF WORK

SCRANTON, Pa.—Nearly 50,000 workers in the northern anthracite region will be made idle within a few days unless there is an improvement in the demand for hard coal. Approximately 15,000 are already panies employing more than 25,000 men and boys have announced they will also suspend operations unless an unexpected demand for coal appears. A number of mines are out of work for this reason and comworking on part time. Eight collieries of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company are closed because of a strike, about eight thousand men being affected.

The unusually light demand for coal was said to be chiefly due to the mild weather that has prevailed.

DECKER TRIAL NEARS END

COLUMBIA CITY, Ind. — Continuation of argument was expected to occupy most of the day in the trial here of Fred Decker, charged with complicity in the murder of Leroy Lovett. Indications are that the case will go to the jury this evening.

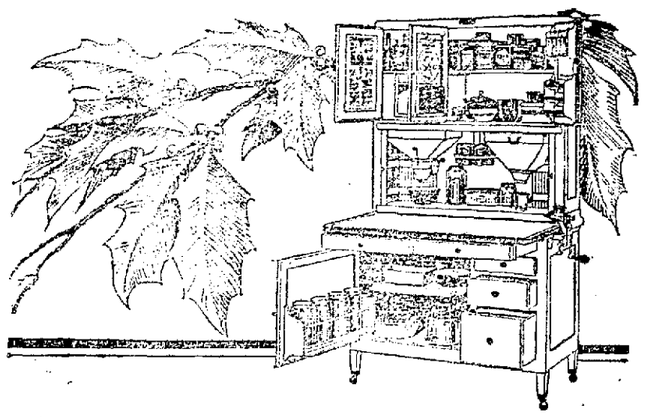
LOAN OFFICIALS MEET

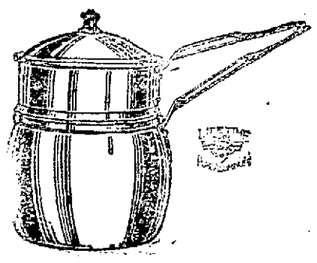
YOUNGSTOWN — Officials of building and loan institutions from Stark, Columbiana, Summit, Portage, Trumbull, Geauga, Lake, Ashtabula and Mahoning-co, comprising district number 7 of the Ohio Building Association League, met here today in annual convention. An executive session was held this morning at which tax revision questions are understood to have been discussed.

You will be surprised at how much you can save at E. & R. store on your Xmas buying.

Enroll Your Name on the Monster List of HOOSIER CABINET Users

$1.00 CASH enrolls your name and delivers the Cabinet and Aluminum Set at once. Balance paid in small weekly payments. The Hoosier makes a great Christmas Gift, one that will endure for a lifetime and be a constant pleasure. Don't wait too long to join the Club.





HOOSIER

The One Best Gift

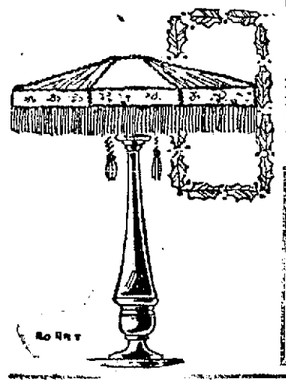
Check up on your fingers all the things you could possibly give a woman for Christmas and see if there is anything but a HOOSIER that will do all those things for her—

Save Hours of Work Each Day.
Save Miles of Steps
Give More Time for Rest and Recreation.
And in Addition, Make Her Proud of Her Kitchen.

The HOOSIER is the one gift that adds to the joys of life every day in the year. It is the one gift your wife will most appreciate.

And—think of it—it takes only $1.00 to put a HOOSIER in your home for Christmas. Pay the rest on our easy club plan. $44.00 up.

Seven Piece Durabilt Aluminum Set Included With Each Club Membership. Tea Kettle, Roaster, Double Boiler, Percolator, and three sizes Sauce Pans. Delivered with Cabinet on payment of $1.00 CASH

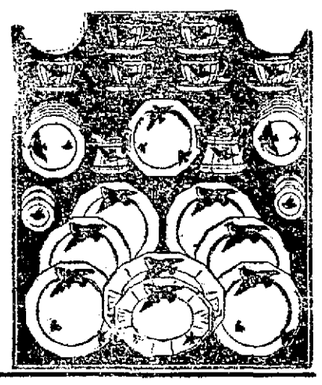


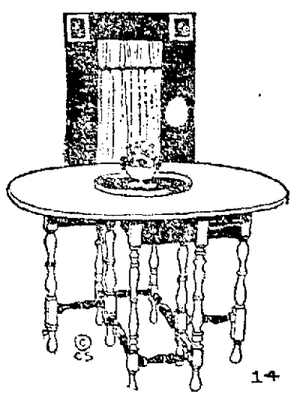
Floor Lamps, Table Lamps, Boudoir Lamps, Candle Sticks

all in finishes to harmonize with your furnishings at prices to suit all. Lamps make most appropriate gifts and spread the ray of Christmas cheerfulness all the year round.

Set Your Christmas Dinner With a New Set of Dishes

A big selection in popular priced sets of 50, 80 and 100 piece sets at $12.45 up. Useful and sensible gifts these sets make.



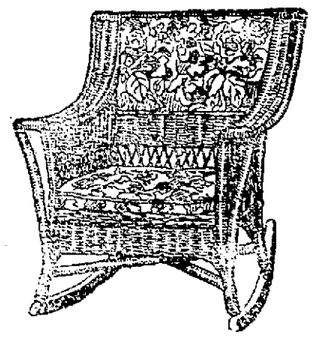


Mahogany Gate End Tables Have Become Very Popular

A quaint table that recalls the ingenious designs of long ago. Solid mahogany tops, oval or round, with or without drawer in ends. A table for parlor, living rom, hall or den, looks good anywhere. A striking and appreciated gift. See our line, we shall save you money on this quality table.

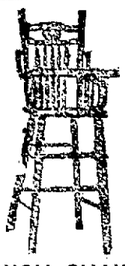
Reed Rockers and Chairs

Upholstered in Tapestry and cretonne are very popular Christmas Gifts. They harmonize with all furnishings and are the height of comfort and durability. Special in the entire line. $8.95 up.



Comfort and protection for the baby in one of these CANVAS SWINGS one like cut

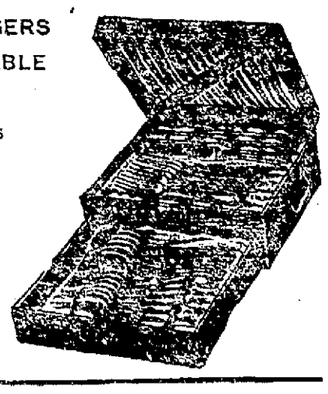
$1.49



HIGH CHAIR special, golden oak finish, $2.48

GENUINE ROGERS 1881 SILVER TABLE SET of 26 Pieces

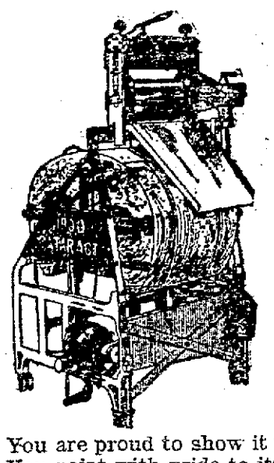
A real buy at the price we offer the set. Several patterns to select from Per set only, $12.98



Closing out all Reed Doll Carts at reduced prices.

EMPIRE FURNITURE & CARPET CO. THE YELLOW FRONT STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY. EMPIRE BLDG 233-235 SOUTH MAIN ST. - LIMA, OHIO

Closing out all Toys at reduced prices.



You Are Proud to Own a 1900 Cataract

A sturdy machine of finest construction from castor tip to copper tub

You are proud to show it to your friends. You point with pride to its gleaming copper tub.

You turn a switch and proudly watch its rhythmic swing and dip—the double action setting up the famous figure 8 current of water which forces every dirt particle from the pores of the fabric.

But you are proudest of all when wash day comes around, and mid-morning finds your washing on the line, and you yourself with none of the fagged-out feeling that follows the old-time washing.

Stop off at our Store today and see this famous machine in operation. There are interested visitors every day, and whether or not you wish to purchase right now, you are very welcome.

Satisfactory terms can be ararnged.

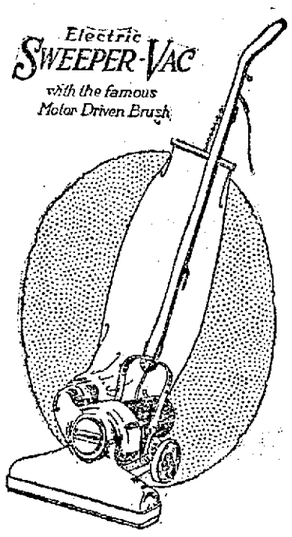
Come in and see our wonderful display of Wagons, Sleds, Kiddie Cars, Tricycles and Automobiles at prices that are sure to please you.

It really takes a Vacuum Cleaner that has a Motor Driven Brush and truly Powerful Suction combined to keep Rugs and Carpets thoroughly clean.

The Electric SWEEPER-VAC is the only Motor Driven Brush Vacuum Cleaner that is powerful enough to handle 110 cubic feet of air per minute and raise 14 inches of vacuum.

A score of other new engineering features give added reasons why you should insist on the Sweeper-Vac with its Motor Driven Brush.

Shall we send you one to-day?



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Mykrantz Blood Remedy	79c
Chlor-E-Denta Tooth Paste	39c
Nux Ton	89c
Lee's Rhubarb Laxative	39c
Pinaud's Lilas de France Vegetal	$1.19
Good Health Salts	39c

Don't Forget to Visit Our Self-Service Table for Extra Specials

Pierce's Golden Med. Discovery	96c
Castoria	29c

DON'T FORGET EDISON MAZDA LAMPS
Fill up empty sockets and replace burned out bulbs today.

Miles' Anti-Pain Pills	21c, 89c
Cuticura Soap	23c
Chamberlain's Pain Balm	19c
Garfield Tea	17c
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Phillips' Milk Magnesia	39c
Mykrantz Laxative Aspirin Fla Tablets	21c
Kodol Dyspepsia Tablets	39c
Mykrantz Pleasant Regulators	21c
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin	45c, 89c
Healthol Mineral Oil	59c
Foley's Cathartic Tablets	21c
Quinine Hair Tonic (Mykrantz)	39c-69c
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Zemo	27c, 79c

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Special price, roll— (Regular 20c value) 10c

Merry War Lye	7c
Severs' Germfo for Eczema	69c
Stomach Pep	21c, 43c
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Aycristocrat Face Powder	69c
Azurea Face Powder	89c
La Trefle Face Powder	89c
Mykrantz Peroxide Cream (Van.)	19c
Pompeian Day Cream	45c
Pompeian Night Cream	39c, 79c
Pompeian Massage Cream	45c, 89c
Pond's Vanishing Cream	21c, 43c
Pond's Cold Cream	21c, 43c
Melba Face Powder	39c
Djer Kiss Face Powder	89c
Melbaline Face Powder	19c
Horlick's Malted Milk	39c, 89c, $3.19
Mary Garden Face Powder	98c
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound	96c

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There is an excellent remedy for colds and influenza in Mykrantz's Cold and LaGrippe Tablets. Gently laxative, persistently efficient—they are all that a good cold remedy could be. Sold on our money back guarantee without any strings attached. Special for this sale—21c.

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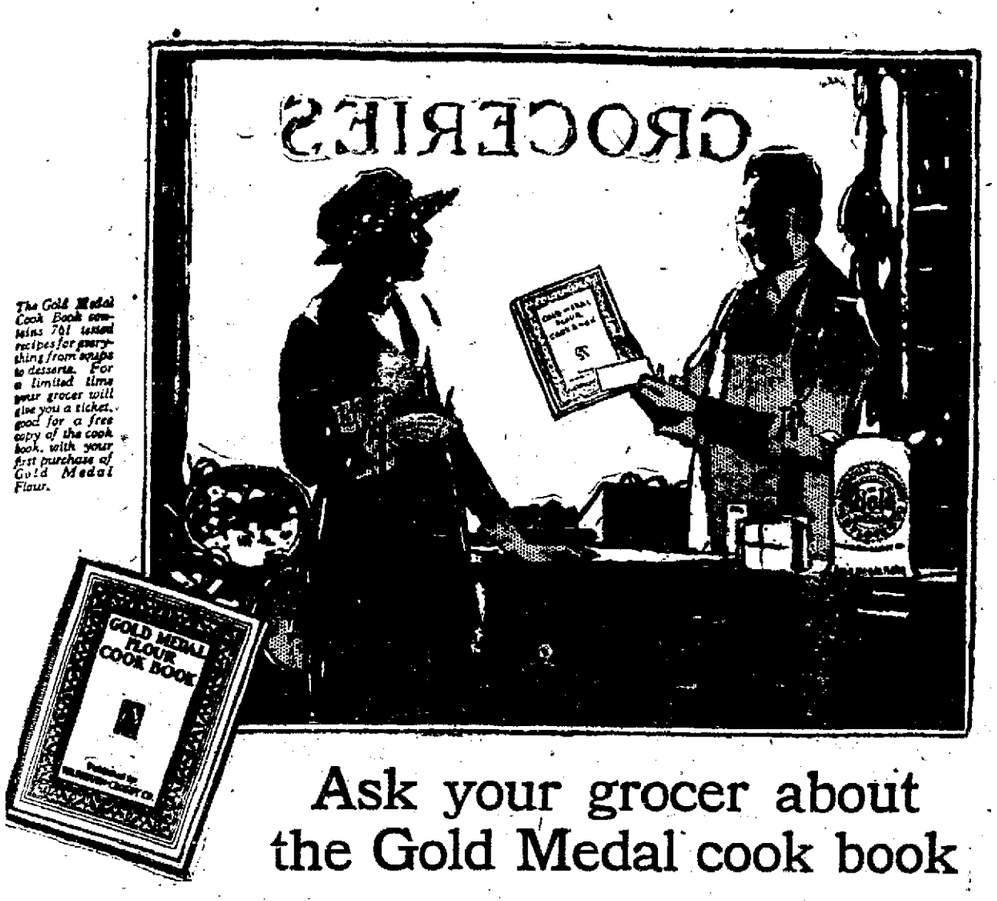

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- $2.00 value Work Pants.. $1.50
- $4.00 Heavy Work Pants $2.95
- $5.00 value Moleskin Pants $3.45
- $5.00 Dress Pants, special $3.95
- $7.00 Dress Pants — Blue Serge $4.95
- $5.00 Heavy Corduroy.... $3.45

Blankets

- $1.00 value, special Cotton Blankets 49c
- $6.00 value Wool Hospital Blankets $4.45
- $5.00 value Heavy Wool Blankets $3.95
- $4.00 value Grey Wool Blankets at $2.95
- $8.00 value Woolnap Double Bed Blankets ... $5.15

Specials

- $1.00 value Overseas Caps 49c
- $1.75 value Wrap Leggings $1.25
- $8.00 value Leather Puttees $4.45

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- $1.50 value Army Slipovers, Khaki only, all sizes..... 95c
- $2.00 value Work Sweaters and Slipovers, grey and blue..... $1.25
- $5.00 value Heavy Rope Knit Wool Mixed Sweater Coats $3.95
- $6.50 value All Wool Slipovers and Sweater Coats, your choice .. $4.95

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- $8.00 value Men's High Grade Dress Shoes—English box toes and army styles $5.75
- $4.00 value Men's Elk Hide and Regimental Work Shoes, special.. $2.95
- $12.00 value Men's 18 inch High Top Shoes $7.95
- $8.00 value Men's 14 inch High Top Shoes $5.95

Raincoats Overcoats

- $18.00 value Moleskin and Leatherettes, special $10.95
- $10.00 value Tweed Raincoats $7.45
- $20.00 value Men's Overcoats, Special Saturday only $14.00
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EVERYDAY PRICES

- 100 pounds Sugar, cane $5.40
- 25 pounds Sugar, cane $1.55
- 10 pounds Sugar, cane 55c
- 1 Peck Fancy White Potatoes 35c
- 2½ Bu. Bag Potatoes $3.25

Can Tomatoes	10c	1 lb. Old Reliable Coffee	30c
Can Red Beans	10c	4 lbs. Farm House Coffee	$1.00
Large can Milk	10c	5 lbs. Bulk Coffee	$1.00
2 cans Kidney Beans	25c	2 lbs. Crackers	25c
Large can Peaches	25c	6 lbs. Cracked Hominy	25c
Can Walrus Salmon	30c	5 lbs. Navy Beans	30c
Large can White Cherries	35c	2 lbs. Salted Peanuts	25c
5 lb. pail Karo Syrup	23c	3 packages Tobacco	25c
10 lb. pail Karo Syrup	50c	1 loaf any kind Bread	10c
1 gal. Kraut	55c	1 lb. Cream Cheese	28c
1 gal. Raspberries	$1.25	Small Corn Flakes	10c
1 gal. Blackberries	$1.25	All Jello	10c
1 gal. Apples	75c	2 pkgs. Gelatine	25c
1 large can Pineapple	35c	Rolled Oats, box	10c
1 box Blue Ribbon Peaches	14c	3 bars Ivory Soap	23c
2 lbs. Prunes	25c	3 Palmolive	25c
1 can Pears	25c	2 bars P. G. Soap	11c
Large can Hominy	10c	6 bars Laundry Soap	25c
1 box Cleaner	5c	5 boxes Washing Powder	25c

- 1 lb. Lard 10c
- 50 lb. can Lard $4.70
- 5 lbs. Bacon $1.00
- All Beef Steak, lb 22c
- Pork Chops ..... 20c – 22c
- Fresh Side 18c
- Beef Boil 10c
- Beef Roast ..... 15c to 18c
- Regular Hams 19c

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- 24½ lb. sack Gold Medal Flour $1.15
- 24½ lb. sack Silver Star Flour 85c
- 24½ lb. sack Pride of Lima 85c
- Candy, your choice, lb. ..... 15c – 20c
- Xmas Trees ..... 50c – 60c
- Box Fancy Apples $2.40

West High St. Grocery and Meat Market

OPPOSITE CENTRAL HIGH

GROCERY F. J. Welker, Prop.		MEAT DEPARTMENT Doyle Johns, Prop.	
1 peck Potatoes	30c	5 lb. pail Lard	50c
3 Grape Fruit	25c	Smoked Callies	15c lb.
1 lb. Kara Van Coffee	30c	Fresh Pork Shoulders	13c lb.
3 cans Farm House Peaches	$1.00	Soft Rib Beef Boil	10c lb.
3 cans Corn	25c	Beef Roast	14-16c lb.
2 lbs. Good Luck	53c	Veal Roast	23-25c lb.
3 pkgs. Corn or Gloss Starch	25c	Lamb Shoulder Roast	25c lb.
3 Spaghetti	25c	Lamb Leg for Roasting	30c lb.
10 P. G. Soap	58c	Chickens, Dressed or Alive	
10 Classic Soap and Cleanser	53c	Oysters	
A Good Line Fresh Vegetables		Leave Your Orders for Xmas Poultry	

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10 lbs. Sugar	57c	Home Made Mince Meat, lb.	20c
1 peck Potatoes	35c	3 Macaroni or Spaghetti	25c
1 lb. Prunes	10c	2 Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	25c
2 lbs. Good Luck Oleo	53c	**MEATS**	
1 lb. Lima Beans	10c	Pork Steak, lb.	20c
1 can Corn	10c	Pork Chops, lb.	18c
1 box Rolled Oats	10c	Best Beef Steak	18 to 25c
1 box Corn Flakes	10c	Beef Roast	15c
1 glass Jelly	10c	Fresh Callies	12c
1 can Pork and Beans	10c	Rib Boil	9c
3 lb. sask Corn Meal	10c	Veal Stew	12½c
1 gallon L. & S. Apple Butter	95c	Whole or Half Ham	17c
1 tall can Milk	10c		
1 small can Milk	5c		
2 large Grape Fruit	15c		
6 rolls Toilet Paper	25c		

Free Delivery on $3.00 Orders Call Main 1370

Wright's Prices

- Strictly Fresh Eggs, Dozen 55c
- Pure Creamery Butter, lb. 43c
- Fine Country Butter, lb. 45c

10 lbs. Granulated Sugar	55c	100 lbs. Sugar	$5.45
10 lbs. Pure Buckwheat Flour	45c	100 lbs. Salt	$1.00
10 lbs. Navy Beans	60c	3 cans Rider's Hominy for	25c
5 lbs. Lima Beans	45c	3 cans Monarch Beans, for	25c
Large can Milk	10c	Crescent Red Beans, can	10c
Eagle Milk	20c	Good Peas, 2 cans for	25c
Jello—All Flavors	10c	Table Peaches, large can	25c
Plymouth Rock Gelatine, 2 for	25c	Blue Ribbon Peaches	15c
Peanut Butter, lb.	15c	Sun Maid Raisins	25c
Good Prunes, 2 lbs. for	25c	New Currants, pkg.	15c

A big assortment and the lowest prices on Xmas Goods. Holly Wreaths, Xmas Trees, Mixed Nuts, Brazils, Pecans, Hazel, Black and English Walnuts, Candies, Fruits, etc.

- Pure Lard, per lb. 10c
- Decker's Sugar Cured Hams 19c
- Fancy Lean Bacon—"The Talk of the Town" — 5 lbs. for $1.00

Boiling Beef, best quality	8c, 10c	Pork Chops	18c
Best Beef Chuck Roast	14c	Pork Steak	25c
All Beef Steak	23c	Lean Fresh Side	15c
Fancy Veal Chops	25c	Fresh Hams	15c
Veal, ground for loaf	25c	Our Own Fresh Sausage	16c
Decker's Weiners and Bologna	20c	Whole Pork Livers, each	10c
Plenty of Chickens	25c, 30c	50 lb. can Pure Lard	$4.50

1500 Lbs. Fresh Pork Shoulders .. 12½c

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Fresh Pork Chops, lb.	20c	Prunes, 2 lbs.	25c
Flour—Larabee's, sk.	$1.10	Macaroni, bulk, 2 lbs.	25c
Flour, sack	85c	Pat-a-Cake, pkg.	15c
New Buckwheat, 10 lbs.	45c	Potatoes, peck	35c
New Meal, sack	10c	Dates, pkg.	10c
Karo Syrup, white, gal. can	55c	Mustard, quart jar	25c
Karo Syrup, dark, gal. can	50c	Mustard, gallon jug	$1.15
Karo Syrup, white, 5 lb. can	33c	Sardines, can	5c
Karo Syrup, dark, 5 lb. can	28c	Salmon, 2 cans	25c
Mackerel, large	25c	Milk, large, 2 cans	20c
Apple Butter, 2 lbs.	25c	Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
New Currants, pkg.	15c and 25c	Corn, 2 cans	25c
Catsup, gallon jar	$1.25	Hominy, 2 cans	25c
Jelly, 1 glass	10c	Kraut, can	18c
Nut Butterine, lb.	25c	Eggs, dozen	45c
Dill Pickles, large, 6 for	25c	Raspberries, gallon	$1.35
Sour Pickles, large, 6 for	25c	Blackberries, gal. can	$1.00
Cocoa, 2 lbs.	25c	Peaches, gal. can	75c
Peas, 2 cans	25c	Apricots, gal. can	75c
Table Peaches, can	25c	Cherries, gal. can	$1.60
Table Peaches, dozen	$2.75	Rhubarb, gal. can	50c
Lard, 5 lb. pail	50c	Mixed Nuts, lb.	25c
Sugar, 10 lbs.	56c	English Walnuts, lb.	40c
Sugar, 25 lbs.	$1.40	Brazil Nuts, lb.	30c
New Beans, 10 lbs.	65c	Hard Mixed Candy, lb.	15c
Lima Beans, lb.	10c	Pineapples, gallon	85c
Raisins, seeded, bulk, lb.	25c	Matches, box	5c
Raisins, seedless, lb.	25c		

HILLSIDE GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET

718 E. HIGH ST. MAIN 3342

Milk, large can	10c	P. & G., Star Soap, 10 bars	60c
Milk, small can	5c	Flake White or Classic Soap, 10 bars	58c
Corn, 1 cans	10c	Luna or Lenox Soap, 10 bars	48c
Early June Peas, per can	15c	Lima or Marifat Beans, per lb.	10c
2 cans	25c	Navy Beans, 5 lbs.	30c
Monarch Pork and Beans, per can	10c	**FLOUR**	
Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans	25c	Gold Medal	$1.15
Pineapple, 3 cans	$1.00	Pillsbury's	$1.15
Peaches, 3 cans	$1.00	Larabee's	$1.15
Apricots, 3 cans	$1.00	Doughboy	$1.15
Karo, light, 1 gal	55c	Pride of Lima	90c
Karo, dark, 1 gal.	50c	Silver Star	90c
Van Camp's Tomato Soup, per can	10c	Corn Meal, 10c per sack, 3 for	25c
3 cans	25c	**BUTTER**	
Salmon, tall pink	15c	Country Butter	45c
2 cans	25c	Creamery Butter	45c
Sardines, in oil	5c	Good Luck, 2 lbs.	55c
Tip Top Pop Corn, 2 pkgs.	25c	Mistletoe, 2 lbs.	45c
Macaroni, Spaghetti or Noodles, 3 pkgs.	25c	**MEATS AND LARD**	
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs.	25c	Loin Steak, lb.	23c
Post Toasties, large, 2 pkgs.	35c	Round Steak, lb.	23c
Shredded Wheat, per pkg.	15c	Chuck Roast, lb.	[illegible]
Rolled Oats, per pkg.	14c	Rib Roast, lb.	15c
2 pkgs.	25c	Arm Roast, lb.	12½c
Prunes, per lb., 15c; 2 lbs.	25c	Chuck Roast, lb.	12½c
Blue Ribbon Peaches, per pkg.	15c	Rib Boil, lb.	10c
Currants, per pkg.	25c	Fresh Callies, lb.	12½c
Raisins, seeded or seedless, per pkg.	25c	Smoked Hams, ½ or whole, lb.	20c
Farmhouse Coffee, per lb.	25c	Bacon, half or whole, lb.	20c
Old Reliable Coffee, per lb.	30c	Bacon, sliced, per lb.	25c
		Lard, 5 lb. pail	80c
		Lard, 5 lb. pail	50c
		Lard, 10 lb. pail	90c

Oysters

Cranberries Sweet Potatoes Spanish Onions Lettuce
Celery Fancy Apples Oranges
English Walnuts Mixed Nuts Dates Raspberry Jam
Pimentos Olives, Stuffed and Plain
Cream Cheese Peanut Butter Cabbage
Pickles, Dill, Sweet and Sour

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PLAN TO PREVENT INSANITY URGED

Ohio Periled by Mental Defectives, E. C. Shaw Declares

COLUMBUS — (By Associated Press) — Speaking before chamber of commerce secretaries and representatives of other civic bodies here today, E. C. Shaw, of Akron, former chairman of the old state board of administration, asserted that the state to save itself from "the perils and vast expense of an increasing horde of defectives and criminals," an aroused public opinion must insist upon immediate adoption of the corrective, remedial and preventive program now before the governor. A demonstration that the public knows and cares, Mr. Shaw said, is all that is needed to sweep aside "the petty obstructions and difficulties." Money to carry out the program, he says, has been furnished b ythe legislature.

Mr. Shaw asserted that each year there are 3,600 insane persons admitted to state institutions, 2,000 criminals sent to penal institutions, 1,800 boys and girls to industrial schools, "while 10,000 mental defectives await admittance to our feeble-minded institutions." He said 23,500 persons now are being cared for in the state's 21 institutions.

Mr. Shaw urged segregation of feeble-minded, better methods for prevention and cure of insanity, constructive treatment of offenders, development of the bureau of juvenile research and economy in construction of state institutions.

WIFE TO CONTEST SUIT BY HOFMAN FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Ruth Yost Hofmann, musician, announced her intention late Thursday of contesting the divorce suit of her husband, Walter Hofmann, manager of McCullough lake park, when she filed an answer to his suit in common pleas court.

She alleges she has been a faithful wife, but charges her husband with cruelty and also says he devotes a part of his time to association with other women.

The couple were married in December, 1918, after an acquaintance begun while the bride was directing an orchestra at the park. In September, 1919, the couple were divorced, the decree being granted Mrs. Hofmann, who instituted the suit. Re-marriage followed a short time later and a few weeks ago Hofmann sued for divorce.

$27,500 SOUGHT IN TWO SUITS AGAINST RAILROAD

Injuries incurred while Vern E. Erwin and George Griffin were employed on a work train on the Lake Erie & Western Railroad, resulted in two separate suits for damages against the railroad company being filed in common pleas court, late Thursday.

The accident occurred near Beaverdam last September. Erwin asks $12,500 and Griffin is suing for $15,000.

MERCHANTS DECLARE FOR BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

Members of the Lima Ad club and Lima Merchants' association, in session at the Lima club, Friday noon, adopted a resolution to have plans for a Better Business bureau drawn up and submitted to the Ad club and Merchants' association for adoption.

It is designed to create a Better Business bureau in Lima to work in co-operation with the Merchants' association. Promotion of truthful advertising is also being planned by the organizations.

EXTRA HELP PROVIDED FOR XMAS RUSH AT POSTOFFICE

Postmaster A. E. Gale installed extra insurance stations in the postoffice corridor Friday, to facilitate handling the thousands of parcels and packages going thru the office daily in the first pre-Christmas rush. Stamp stations will be inauguarated the first of the week and will be kept open until after the holiday jam is over, Gale announced.

Extra carriers, clerks, messengers and wagons will be added to the force next week, so that prompt handling of all mail and package matter thru the Lima office can be accomplished expeditiously, it is said.

SCHOOLS CLOSE DEC. 22 FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

The Lima public schools will close for the Christmas vacation Thursday afternoon, December 22. Classes will be resumed the first Tuesday after New Years, Superintendent J. E. Collins announced, Friday.

Rural schools will close Friday afternoon, December 23, and will remain closed until Monday, January 2, Commissioner Arganbright stated.

BUILDINGS BURNED.

NEW LEXINGTON, Ohio.— Fire of undertermined origin destroyed the commissary office building, garage and several other small buildings at the state brick plant at Junction City last night, with a loss of about $10,000.

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VERDICT REVERSED IN $5,000 DAMAGE SUIT OF ZOE M'WHORTER

Appellate court Friday reversed judgment in the case of Zoe McWhorter against Louis Quick and D. C. McBeth, and Alfred Mueller, representing the Lincoln Highway garage and ordered new trial of the case.

The jury at the former hearing returned a verdict of no cause for action against Quick, McBeth and Mueller, in a suit for $5,000 damages. The higher court reversed the decision.

The case was taken up on error because of counsel for the Quick, McBeth and Mueller questioning Zoe McWhorter as to her relations with driver of the taxicab of the Lincoln Highway garage at the time of the accident. They undertook to show the driver more than ordinarily interested in her, sought to be shown as cause of the accident.

Higher court held this questioning permissible and also maintained that Harry White, driver of the service car of Quick & McBeth was legally permitted to operate the car for his employers in the night season.

NEW TRIAL ORDERED IN MICHAEL SUIT FOR AUTO AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Miss Maude Michael, housekeeper for the late Joseph Wooley, contractor, 819 W. Market-st, lost her suit for possession of the household goods and automobile alleged to have been given her by Wooley, in a decision in court of appeals Friday.

Miss Michael sued to obtain possession of numerous household goods and an automobile. The jury, in common pleas court, after being out but a few minutes, returned a verdict in her favor.

The case was appealed to higher court. The verdict was reversed on the ground that the judge of the trial court, in instructing the jury, not only advised them Miss Michael could recover the property, if left her as a gift, but that she could recover otherwise.

The appellate court ruled she could recover as a gift, but for no other reason. New trial was ordered.

INVENTOR DIES

WATERTOWN, N. Y. — James E. Liddy, 93, inventor of the spring bed, died at Chaumont.

W. B. A. REVIEWS HONOR SUPREME HEAD OF ORDER

Miss Bina M. West, Port Huron, Michigan, founder and supreme commander of the Woman's Benefit association, favored members of the Lima and Allen-co Reviews with an address in Central Hall Thursday night.

The W. B. A. is the largest women's fraternal organization in the world. It embraces many members in Lima and Allen-co. The visit of the supreme commander was attended by several social functions arranged by women of the organization in her honor.

Accompanying Miss West to Lima Thursday was Nellie C. V. Reppert, grand commander, W. R. C., of Ohio. Delegates from all sections of northwestern Ohio were in attendance at the meetings Thursday.

MISS CLARA FERKEL IS VICTIM OF DEATH

Miss Emma Clara Ferkel, 603 E. High-st, died at 6:30 a. m. Friday, after an illness of several months, from a complication of diseases. She was a member of St. John's Catholic church. A sister, Miss Caroline Ferkel, survives.

Funeral services will be held from St. John's church Monday at 8:30 a. m. Interment will be in Gethsemani.

DESERTION CHARGED IN MAHSKER DIVORCE SUIT

Desertion is charged by Mrs. Mamie Mahsker in a suit for divorce from Joseph Mahsker, whose whereabouts, she says, are unknown to her. The couple were married in July, 1899.

They have a family of six children, ages ranging from 20 to five years. Mrs. Mahsker, in her suit, says her husband has been absent about three years.

BEG YOUR PARDON

Announcement was made in The Lima News Thursday evening that the Ohio Steel Foundry Co., had been ordered to pay the widow of Harry E. Hames $39.50 semi-monthly. This should have read that the state insurance commission had been ordered to pay the amount. The accident in which Hames was killed occurred shortly before the steel plant took over its insurance, hence the state pays compensation.

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Open for Phone Orders Until 9 O'Clock Friday Evening

SUGAR—100 lb. sack $5.60
POTATOES—That will cook—150 lb. bag $3.25
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—(Pillods) 10 lb. sack 45c
FLOUR—Silver Star, 24½ lb. sack 85c

Matches, Diamond, box 5c; 5 for 24c
Searchlight Matches, per box 6c; 6 boxes for 35c
Corn and Tomatoes, per can 10c
Crackers, 2 lbs. for 25c
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Now for the Men: San Felice and American Stag Cigars, 25 in box, $1.60; El Verso, $2.50; Elmanton and Tip of the Leaf, $1.00

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OHIO AUTO MEN ELECT LIMA MAN A DIRECTOR

O. L. DeWeese of Lima was elected a member of the board of directors of the Ohio Automotive Trades association for a three year term, at a meeting held in Columbus, Friday. Y. B. Jones, Columbus, was elected president to succeed Warren B. Griffith, Toledo. DeWeese is the only member elected to the board of directors from northwestern Ohio.

Resolutions calling for a uniform system of road signs and legislative action to relieve garages of liability for loss of motor vehicles by theft or fire where no negligence is shown, were adopted.

Xmas trees at Dorsey's.

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NEW YORK — About 5,000 clerical employes on the Erie railroad, will be reduced to a half time working schedule for the rest of December.

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EXTRA!! MANTLE Clocks Chimes, Mahogany Finish, Gift for mother $15

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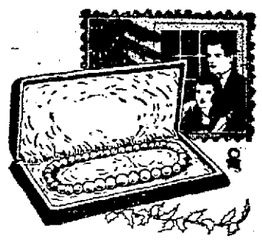

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EXTRA!! GOLD FILLED Watch Chains Waldemar Style $1.50 value 98c

EXTRA!! TRAVELING Bags Cowhide Black and Tan $12.50

EXTRA!! GILLETTE Razors $6.00 value, complete, dozen blades $2.79

EXTRA!! MEN'S 7 JEWEL Elgin Watch $18 value An Ideal Gift for Him $10

EXTRA!! EVER READY Razors $3.00 kind with half dozen blades 98c

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EXTRA!! 26 PIECE SET Silverware Comes in Different Patterns. $7.95

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

BINGHAM HERE TO MEET COMMISSION

Watertown Man, Manager Applicant, Returns to Lima

C. A. Bingham, city manager of Watertown, N. Y. and the first out of town applicant for the city managership to appear personally before the charter commission, made his second visit to Lima Friday.

Harold Cunningham, chairman of the commission, refused to say whether Bingham's presence in Lima was at the request of the board.

Bingham arrived from Watertown at 11 p. m. Thursday. He registered at the Lima House and got into telephonic communication with members of the commission, it was learned Friday.

Cunningham asserted there would be no decision made Friday on the city manager. "No action will be taken today, and so far as I know there will be no meeting of the commission today," Cunningham said.

Attempts made to reach Bingham Friday morning were unavailing. He could not be found at the Lima House and his whereabouts could not be traced.

The presence of the Watertown manager, however, is taken as assurance he will be the man named as Lima's manager under the new form of government.

Bingham's resignation, handed to the Watertown commission sometime ago, becomes effective January 1.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: Mrs. A. M. Allen, 108 1-2 E. Spring-st to City hospital. Charles T. Andrews, City hospital to 316 Harrison-av. Mrs. Martha Shope, City hospital to 110 Harrison-av. Mrs. Emil Levy, 346 S. Charles-st to St. Rita's hospital. Casper Miller, City hospital to his home near Cridersville.

CITY UNDERTAKING COMPANY: Miss Bernice Miller, City hospital to her home, rear 308 S. West-st. John Swaney, from his home, 249 S. Pine-st, to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. S. Richards, Perry-tp.

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Whether it be for grandpop, dad, fiance, brother Bill or brother Bob, "his" gift is here. Some suggestions to help you:

SHIRTS
Silk Shirts, $4.75 to $7.35
Silk Mixtures, $3.85 to $4.75
Madras Shirts, 90c to $3.85
Dress Shirts, $3 to $5.00

SWEATERS
All-wool, shawl collars, pullover, $4.50 to $8.25
All-wool Pullover, V Neck, $3.75 to $4.50
All-wool Sweater Coats, $6.00 to $8.25
Cardigan Jackets, $2.28 to $5.63

HOUSE COATS
Cord and braid trimmed, $5.75 to $17.75
Silk and velvet, $12.75 to $17.75
Dressing Gowns $19.75 to $36.75
Blanket Robes $6.75 to $11.75
Bathrobes, $5.75 to $14.75

NECKWEAR
Hand-made Scarves, 69c to $1.45
Imported Scarves, $1.95
Silk knit Scarves, 95c to $2.85
Dress Cravats, 50c to $1.00

GLOVES
Street Gloves, $1 to $5
Arabian Mocha, $3 to $5
Driving Gloves, $2 to $5
Fur lined, $7.50 to $15
Full Dress Gloves, $2 $2.85

REEFERS
Two-toned, mixtures, $2.35 to $2.85
Silk Accordion Reefers, $2.85
Other Reefers, 85c to $8.75
Men's Mufflers $1 to $5

CANES AND UMBRELLAS
Canes of Distinction, $1 to $5
Umbrellas of quality, $2 to $10

PAJAMAS
Plain, $2 to $5
Silk Mixtures, $6 to $9
Silk Pajamas, $7 to $12

BUCKLES
Initial Buckles, 50c to $2
Belts with Buckles, $1 to $3
Silver or gold Monograms, $4

JEWELRY
Cuff Links, 50c to $3
Chain and Knife, $2.50 to $4
Tie Pins, 75c to $1.25
Tie Clasp, 50c to $1.00
Cigarette Cases, $3.50 to $4.50

LEATHER GOODS
Wardrobe Trunks, $35 to $95
Hand Bags, $1.50 to $30
English Kits, $32.50
Gladstone Bags, $22.50 to $27.50
Brief Cases, $5.00 to $10
Fitted Cases, $12
Bill Folds, $1 to $5
Brushes $3.50
Boston Bags ½ price

GIFTS FOR BOYS
Norfolk Suits, $8.75 to $22.50
Mackinaws, $6.85 to $15
Overcoats, $7.50 to $25
Hats and Caps, $1 to $2
Gloves, 50c to $2
Sweaters, $3.50 to $8
Shirts, $1 to $5

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BLUFFTON PLAYS SOUTH HI HERE TONIGHT---C. H. S. AT SPENCERVILLE

South Hi will be playing its third basketball game of the season in their gymnasium tonight against Bluffton, while the Central Hi quintet will be playing their first game at Spencerville against the high school team of that village.

Bluffton Hi this season has a strong team and South will find in that team much stronger opposition than that to be experienced by Central at Spencerville.

Coaches Young and Detrick have been putting their respective squads thru strenuous practice sessions and both teams will be in fine shape tonight. It is doubtful just who Detrick will start against Spencerville, but likely Mitchell and Swisher will play the forward positions, Hunter at center and Captain Keith DeVoe and Tinker, guards.

Probably all 12 players given first team suits will journey to Spencerville and it is possible that all may be given a chance in the game. It is Coach Detrick's idea at the first of each season to give each prospective first team man a chance to show his skill.

Much interest is centered on the possibility of "Jiggers" Wetherill to make the team. Last year Wetherill was an individual star with the Spencerville Hi quintet and tonight he will be pitted against his old team mates.

Recently Wetherill has not been showing his usual scrap and unless he gets into the game with more hard playing his chances will be slim.

Since the first game of the season two weeks ago at South Hi, the gymnasium has been packed with interested spectators. The gym is small and as a rule it is filled an hour before the game.

Clyde Waller, of the Y. M. C. A., has been refereeing all games at South and his ability and fairness has won for him much admiration already this season.

EVANS EXPOSES NEW PITCHING SECRET

'FORK BALL' BAFFLES BEST SLUGGERS

BY BILLY EVANS

BRAIN is as great if not greater than brawn when it comes to pitching.

For a proof of that theory the career of Pitcher Joe Bush of the Boston Red Sox is submitted for your consideration.

Bush was the sensational comeback of the 1921 season in the American League, after a lot of experts said he was thru.

Joe Bush fooled the experts because he called on his brain power, after his physical resources began to fail him.

Because of his terrific speed, Bush early in his career was called "Bullet Joe." No nickname could have possibly been more appropriate.

Bush almost from his debut was a success. His fast ball was his main asset. Instead of conserving his strength, Joe always went at top speed regardless of the score.

Almost out of a clear sky Joe discovered that the old fast ball was losing some of its "zip." Batters who once were easy for him began to take liberties with his stuff.

That caused Bush to decide that a pitcher needed more than speed if he was to continue for any great length of time as a big leaguer. At just about the time Joe reached such a decision he began to have trouble with his arm.

HAD A VERY BAD ARM

The season of 1919 found Bush almost useless. He was unable to throw without suffering great pain. The old speed was no longer there. He consulted any number of specialists, but received little or no benefit. Complete rest was usually prescribed as a possible cure.

During the season of 1919 Bush worked only nine innings, scattered thru three games. However, he was in uniform most every day, keeping himself as physically fit as possible.

Plenty of time to think and reflect caused Bush to do some experimenting. Since he suffered great pain, every time he tried to throw a fast ball, Bush practiced thruout the year throwing a slow ball with a fast ball motion. It was possible for his to throw without any inconvenience.

DEVELOPED NEW DELIVERY

Bush carried the experiment even further, he developed what he calls a "fork ball". He has so named it because of the peculiar way he holds the ball between his fingers before delivering it to the batter.

The season of rest seemed to restore strength to Bush's arm. He worked more than 30 games in 1920, but was unable to get better than an even break, winning and losing 15.

Bush couldn't get the old stuff on the fast one. Because of the difficulty in controlling the fork ball, Bush didn't use it during 1920, but constantly worked with it to develop control.

After working for nearly three years mastering the new delivery, Bush started to use it in the early summer of 1921. Batters soon objected, saying Bush was using a spitball, which he had no right to do. The umpires, however, knew such was not the case. The "fork ball" breaks very much like a spitball.

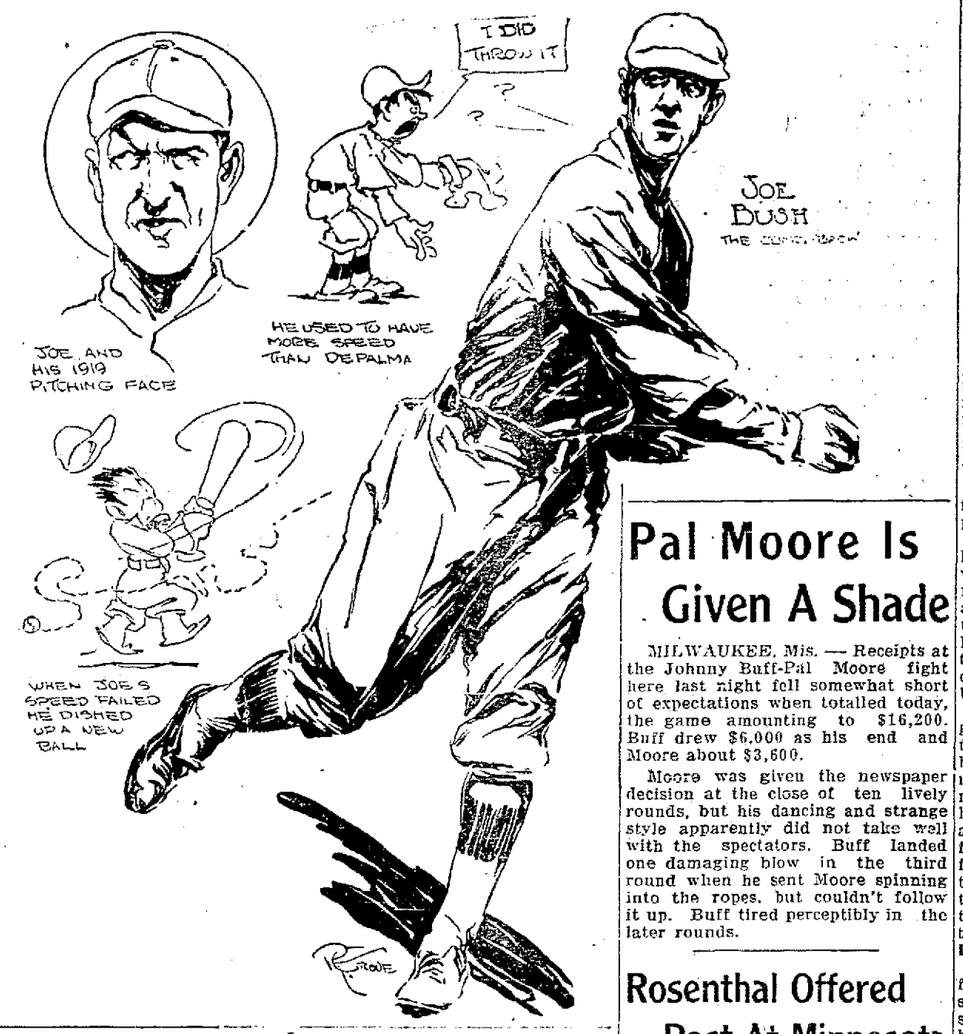
HAD BIG SEASON IN 1921

The season of 1921 was a big year for Bush, after a lot of people thought he was done as a big leaguer. His success was centered around the "fork ball." This ball, coupled with his curve and fast one, with a change of pace thrown in, made Bush over into a new style pitcher.

Instead of depending on terrific speed, Bush stood the batters on their heads by mixing them up. Bush is again a great pitcher because he refused to give up when gloom was thickest.

When nature weakened on him, he called on his brain for assistance.

The "fork ball," a most deceptive delivery, has given Bush a threat, which he constantly holds over the batter. The "fork ball" was the result of three years of effort. It was worth while.



BOWLING RESULTS

BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE
(Y. M. C. A. ALLEYS)

Steiner's			
Preble	171	137	144
Steiner	131	117	
Burkhardt, W.		158	154
Sutter	151		152
Totals	456	412	450
Team score			1318
Kirk's			
Crawford	178	151	160
Stephens	151	147	137
Kirk	156	214	161
Totals	485	512	458
Team score			1455

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE
(Y. M. C. A. ALLEYS)
Y. M. C. A. Triangles

Hoff	173	156	161
Pearson	181		
Cunningham		184	199
Cutler	168	148	158
Kirk	116	149	136
Crawford	155	172	138
Locomotive			
Coon	131	157	181
Shroeder	145	165	182
Hess	225	197	183
Snyder	162	211	173
Day	192	172	181

K. OF C. LEAGUE
(RECREATION ALLEYS)

Pirates			
Willett	147	154	188
D. O'Donold	147	151	179
Shade	153	148	146
Morrisy	118	138	132
McNamara	125	173	186
Totals	720	761	857
Giants			
Bragg	150	133	138
White	138	118	138
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Shae	134	155	138
Stoolt	162	136	141
Totals	705	692	671
Red Sox			
Lawlor	120	162	177
Cardosi	172	111	217
R. O'Brien	144	136	168
Walsh	171	183	152
Duff	143	112	175
Totals	750	704	889
Team score			2103
Braves			
P. O'Brien	125	115	136
Borer	166	137	136
Fitzpatrick	156	162	163
Kelly	108	141	158
Peckham	177	162	160
Totals	732	717	753
Team score			2212
Cubs			
Kennedy	118	198	126
Christon	153	162	139
Callahan	140	158	168
Crowner	110	153	168
King	148	156	177
Totals	699	827	778
Team score			2304
Senators			
Umoud	177	127	191
Mohls	135	139	154
Gargoon	115	127	141
Spirk	162	167	158
Schimpf	193	139	125
Totals	782	699	794
Team score			2185

Gibbons, O'Dowd Are To Settle Ring Dispute

ST. PAUL, Minn. — Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight champion, and Mike Gibbons, at one time acclaimed by many the uncrowned king of that division, will settle their pugilistic differences here tonight in a ten round, no-decision bout. The two St. Paul Mikes hammered thru ten rounds here in 1919, with the result still in dispute.

It was a toe-to-toe affair, characteristic of O'Dowd's style, but a marked departure from the "Phantom's" usual technic.

WAS CHAMPION THEN

O'Dowd was champion then, but in tonight's meeting victory means an advantage in pressing claims for a contest with Johnny Wilson, who grabbed the middleweight crown from O'Dowd and held it in a second meeting with the "Fighting Harp." The fighters show no appreciable difference in weight, which is placed at 160 pounds. Gibbons is said to be in better shape than before his "retirement" after the last O'Dowd meeting.

Lima White Stars Want Cage Games

The Lima White Stars, a class "C" basketball team composed of 15 and 16-year-old boys, organized under direction of Coach "Bud" Greenland, issued a challenge Friday to meet any 115 and 130 pound team in Lima or elsewhere. Fitzgerald and Kessler play the forward positions with Moore and Zapp the defensive men. Wood plays center. Lerch and Cox are sub-guards and Myers and Scoles are sub-forwards.

Information concerning the team can be secured by writing Ray Morse, Y. M. C. A.

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Pal Moore Is Given A Shade

MILWAUKEE, Mis. — Receipts at the Johnny Buff-Pal Moore fight here last night fell somewhat short of expectations when totalled today, the game amounting to $16,200. Buff drew $6,000 as his end and Moore about $3,600.

Moore was given the newspaper decision at the close of ten lively rounds, but his dancing and strange style apparently did not take well with the spectators. Buff landed one damaging blow in the third round when he sent Moore spinning into the ropes, but couldn't follow it up. Buff tired perceptibly in the later rounds.

Rosenthal Offered Post At Minnesota

BERKELEY, Calif. — Dr Boles Rosenthal, assistant football coach at the University of California, today confirmed reports that he is being considered for the post of head coach at the University of Minnesota.

Dr. Rosenthal, who handled the line the 1920 and 1921 champion California teams, formerly played center for Minnesota and was a member of an all-Western team. It is believed he will not accept the Minnesota offer, if it is forthcoming.

Buy the Family a FORD for Xmas.

DRAFT RESTORATION PLAN OF MAJORS

NEW YORK—Several plans for a restoration of the draft under conditions satisfactory to both minor and major leagues were being considered by the baseball advisory council today.

One of the plans provided that in the event of a class AA club losing a player via draft, the major league receiving the player, after paying $5,000 as provided in the present agreement, would send a player to the AA club in place of the drafted man.

THE SECOND PLAN

Another proposal was that the draft price be raised to $7,500, and that in case the drafted players did not measure up to major league standards, he should be returned to the club from which he was taken at half the draft price.

One of these propositions may be used by the advisory council in reaching an agreement to be submitted to the minors concerned for action.

RESUME SESSIONS

The leagues resumed their joint session in order to settle a few matters of lesser importance, including the proposal to rescind the rule prohibiting world's series players from barnstorming, and reduction in admission prices for the world series.

Judge Landis yesterday carried thru one of his ideas, the seven game world's series, and it was said that he was as eager to have the leagues adopt a reduced price schedule, for the world's series at least.

Johnny Newton Is Knocked Out In Atlanta, Ga.

Johnny Newton, of Mansfield, Delphos and Lima, was knocked out in the first round of a scheduled 10 round bout in Atlanta, Ga., according to reports of the fight reaching fans here. His opponent was Frankie Murphy, of Charleston, W. Va.

Here's a newspaper account of the fight as detailed in an Atlanta paper:—

"What gave promise of being a highly interesting scrap last night was abruptly ended in the first round when Johnny Newton ran afoul of a wicked punch just over the heart delivered by Frankie Murphy, the hard hitting Charleston battler. The end was as sudden as it was unexpected.

UPPERCUT DID IT

"Newton, who had gained the good graces of the spectators by carrying the fight to Murphy and seemed to be well holding him own, suddenly received a wallop on the chin that momentarily staggered him. Before he had a chance to recover his balance Murphy had driven his powerful righthand to his heart with such force that they both fell in a heap together on the floor. The Charleston fighter quickly arose but Newton rolled on thru the ropes into the laps of the spectators.

FEARED SERIOUS HURT

"Before Referee Johnny Glenn had finished counting off the fatal ten seconds it was apparent to all the surrounding fight fans that the Ohio battler was thru for the evening. Worse than that it was feared at first that he had been seriously injured. However, after several minutes work on him, Newton was able to get to his feet and stagger to his dressing room with the combined aid of his seconds.

"Up until the knockout blow was landed the fight had been about even and the spectators were beginning to think that Murphy had at last found a man who could swap punches with him. Newton, however, had a habit of falling into a crouch when avoiding Murphy's rushes and it was in this position that the Charleston fighter caught him with a hook to the jaw.

Rockne To Remain As Coach Of N. D.

NEW YORK — Knute Rockne, for the last three years coach of the Notre Dame University football team, will continue in that capacity. This announcement was made here last night at a dinner given by the Notre Dame club to Rev. James Burns, president of the university. It had been reported that he was considering an offer from Northwestern University.

Tom Gibbons To Fight B. Madden

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. — Tommy Gibbons and Batley Madden entered the final stages of their training here today for their ten round bout Monday night. The fight, originally scheduled for tonight, had been postponed to that date. Al Wolgast, Cadillac, a brother of Ad Wolgast, is to meet Alex Novecky of Cincinnati, in the semi-final.

Ohio State To Play Wesleyan

COLUMBUS — Ohio State's aspiring basketball squad faces Ohio Wesleyan here Saturday (December 17) in their annual clash. Working hard with his athletes, Coach George Trautman has hopes of whipping a good team into shape before the Big Ten season opens.

The Buckeyes showed the results of careful training in their opening battle with Cincinnati here last Saturday. Football men are making a great bid for some of the regular jobs on the quintet.

Cincy Reds Are After Bentley

NEW YORK — Announcement is expected here of a deal whereby Jack Bentley, first baseman, star pitcher and heavy hitter of the Baltimore International League club, will become the property of the Cincinnati Reds for a cash consideration.

Jack Dunn, manager of the Baltimore club, is known to have placed his star on the market for $50,000, but most of the major league magnates are shying away from the price.

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Football Men On Denison B.B. Team

GRANVILLE — Denison University's basketball team, which opens its season here tomorrow night against Antioch, will be made up of players who were prominent in the recent football campaign.

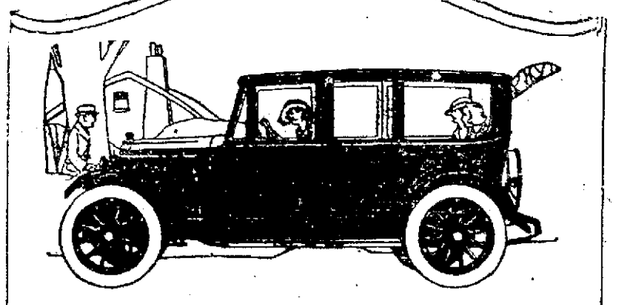
Calhoun, East Liverpool, and Rettig, Middletown, are the forwards. Jefferson, Norwalk and Thiele, Dayton, are centers. Guard places are to be held by Stone, Springfield; Guckert, Sandusky and Hundley, Granville.

Both Fighters Are Kayoed In Illinois

PEORIA, Ills. — In a scheduled eight round bout Pat Walsh of Indianapolis, last night scored a technical knockout over Jack Phillips of Cuba, Ills., in the fifth round. Phillips' eyes were both closed and his seconds tossed the towel into the ring.

It developed that Walsh was also cut, as he had to be carried from the ring after the bout had been awarded him.

Buy the Family a FORD for Xmas.



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WANTS CHILDREN ABOUT HER WHEN SHE'S OLD

(BY JAMES W. DEAN.)

NEW YORK.—(Special.)—Mary Pickford, 40 years from now, the bloom of youth faded, the gold of her hair run to silver, the light of her eye dimmed—how will life look to her then?

That's what I have just been discussing with Mary herself.

"If I live that long," she began. "Oh, I don't know. An old age without children about is horrible, the loneliness of it all. Certainly I shall want to have children about me if I am to live to a ripe old age.

"Youth is the greatest thing in the world. The mother lives her youth over again in the youth of her children. And so if there are children about me when I am old in years shall not be old at heart.

"I think I shall live to be an old, old woman if I don't worry. Worry is the greatest affliction a person can have just as happiness is the greatest medicine. Worry kills people, kills more of them than any disease."

"What about your future in pictures?" I asked.

"I want my next picture to be better than any I have yet done. Many of our friends think Douglas and I ought to make one together, but perhaps it would be better to appear with him in the last picture I make."

"But that will not be for a long time then," I suggested.

"Oh, I don't know," Mary answered. "You see, springtime is my time. I am identified on the screen as a young girl. When I can no longer enact the young romantic type, I shall act no longer. I do not think I would be accepted playing matronly parts."

"Then what?"

"I'll direct pictures, fairy tales, perhaps. I believe I understand children and could handle them effectively. I'll direct the pictures as far as my energies allow. I don't believe that any woman has the energy to attend to all the details of directing a picture. That is a job that wears down even a strong man. It takes all the energy that one has to direct the making of a picture."

All of this talk about Mary's old age seemed a bit profane to me as I looked upon her. She is still a little girl, her hair in golden curls, a childish naivete in her expression. She seems like a little girl who has put on her mother's long skirts to play "grown-up."

But that's hardly the way to speak of Mary's clothes. She has just brought back 14 trunk loads of clothes from Paris. She showed them all to me. For the life of me, I couldn't describe them.

They all seemed very simple, even her evening gowns. It was all like a flash of color and luminous silk as she held them, one after the other, before me. To a girl, I suppose, the opening of the doors of Mary's clothes closet would have been like the opening of Pandora's box. To a mere man it meant only the display of fine cloth and that great masculine question—how much did they cost?

And I blurted out that question.

"I can't say," Mary answered. "It would not be fair to the designer. I had a very favorable contract with her. The papers have printed that I paid $10,000 duty on them. That's a good story, but it isn't so. I'd say $5000 would cover the cost and the duty.

"You know, I like cheap things best. I haven't yet forgotten the days I walked because I wanted to save the nickel carfare."

She told me a lot about those clothes, but manlike all that I can remember is that belts will be looser in the new styles. I remember that because I wondered what purpose a lose belt would serve. I always wear mine tight.

Oh, yes! Mary said skirts will be longer, that black is the prevailing color in Paris, no dark stockings are being worn, champagne-colored and fawn ones being the most popular. She doesn't like sleeveless dresses, so even her evening growns have several inches of cloth over the shoulder.

MARYS EYES.

Mary Pickford has the most unusual eye of any person I have ever met. Several months ago I passed an entire day with her and Douglas Fairanks. The thing that intrigued me then, as it intrigued me upon this later meeting, was Mary's eyes. I couldn't define their color.

On the previous meeting they seemed to constantly change from empyean blue to an emerald green. We were in a yacht on the water then.

Today, as I talked to her, her eyes seemed yellow. I told her of my observation and asked what color her eyes really are

"I haven't determined that myself," she answered. "They seem to reflect whatever color that is about me. I think they are a yellowish brown today because of this dress I am wearing. Sometimes my eyes are very dark, sometimes blue, sometimes gray. I think that probably they have no color of their own, at all. They just reflect color."

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MARY PICKFORD

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"Partners Of the Tide," a Thrilling Melodrama

THE many of us who have read Joseph Lincoln's "Partners Of The Tide" wouldn't miss seeing its screen version for anything. The story, as I remember it, was a thrilling and clean-cut tale of the sea, with much action and melodrama.

The screen version, like the story, is laid in a sleepy little New England village where abide Temperance and Prudence Allen, two worthy old spinsters with deep rooted ideas about right and wrong. They adopt an orphan boy, fully intending to raise him up a minister, but Bradley feels the call of the salt-water, (or whatever it is that seamen feel) and secures a berth on the "Thomas Doane."

A pair of villians, the owners of the ship, decide to sink it before the insurance expires. They dunno that the grandmother of the girl in the case is the secret owner of the craft. There's some deep sea diving and under-water photograhphy that is unusually effective, and a burning ship, with a man aboard waiting to be saved, whose rescue, let me assure you, makes you sit on the edge of your seat.

There's an element of homely humor and good fellowship that takes away monotony. The characters are all splendid actors, altho the heroine is of the intense, long-haired type upon whose fragile shoulders troubles pile thick and fast. But she wins out, she wins out!

I guess you'll call "Partners of the Tide" a stirring picture. It's appearing today and Saturday at the Lyric theatre.

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Tom Moore Is Right There In This New One

RUPERT HUGHES wrote "From The Ground Up" especially for Tom Moore, one of the best vehicles this popular young man has had for many a moon. The story, as the title would indicate, is a lively comedy drama with Helene Chadwick as leading lady.

To tell the story would be to spoil your enjoyment of the film but you'll never regret the thirty-three cents you pay to see it. The sub-titles are distinctly humorous, not just a few of them, but every one. The lighting and photography is up to the usual Goldwyn standard.

Real "From the Ground Up" is about as entertaining as "The Idle Class" starring Charlie Chaplin, which picture appears on the program with the Tom Moore vehicle.

At the Sigma today and Saturday.

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The Orpheum—"Broadway Vanities"

"THE Moonlight Marriage" is the second offering of the Broadway Vanities, a company of some twenty people which opened a week's engagement at the Orpheum last Monday. This new bill is a merry one, and should prove as popular as their foregoing attraction.

New costumes, new dances, new songs are introduced, with several quartette numbers that are worth-while an din a line of comic travesty that seemed to make a hit with the audience.

The engagement of "The Moonlight Marriage" is until Sunday, when a new program will be inaugurated.

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"Make It For Two" -Faurot Opera House

MARY GARDEN, of Chicago Grand Opera fame, has accepted a box and will be present as patroness at the first performance of "Make It For Two", the sixteenth annual University of Michigan Opera, to be given on Saturday night, December 17, in Chicago.

"Make It for Two," which will play in Lima on December 22 at Faurot Opera House, had its initial performance in Ann Arbor Tuesday evening. A huge success was scored, thunderous applause greeting each of the special numbers.

The music of the Opera is of a calibre not often found in college theatricals. "Garden of Girls" scored the biggest hit, due to the fetching melody and the gorgeous costumes that appeared in the scene. "Girls of the Seasons" was a close second, with its combination pretty girls, tuneful music, and rich scenery.

The plot is divided between New York and the Isle of Nowhere, a pagan kingdom. Unlike most shows of this type, a unique and well worked-out story runs thruout the course of the production, never being lost sight of in the galaxy of colorful and truly brilliant spectacles that are so skillfully mixed in. Occasionally, a bit of local color asserts itself in the form of a word or strain of music, but it only serves to more definitely connect "Make It for Two," with the university that has produced it and proudly claims is as its own.

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THEATRE DIRECTORY

AT THE SIGMA:

Charles Chaplin has a double role in "The Idle Class" appearing today at the Sigma theatre. Also Tom Moore in "From the Ground Up."

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AT THE FAUROT:

"Experience," the screen version of George V. Hobart's famous stage play, is the feature again today at the Faurot Opera House. Richard Barthlemess heads the cast of competent players.

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AT THE MAJESTIC:

Lionel Barrymore is starred in "The Copperhead" appearing today and Saturday at the Majestic theatre.

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SCREEN SIFTINGS

"Hamomelet" is the title of a film burlesque on "Hamlet."

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A company has been formed to star Ora Carewe in a series of films.

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"Why Announce Your Marriage," is the fifteenth picture Elaine Hammerstein has made for Selznick.

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Rene Adoree, Tom Moore's wife, will support John Gilbert in his current Fox picture. So will Maude George.

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Mother would appreciate a new pillow for the davenport more than you now—and don't you think that velvet or tapestry would suit her best? Come in and look at be unusual pillow display at Bluem's. There are all kinds of new suggestions.

New Satin Hats, fur trimmed or braided, at the Gem Millinery Shop, 307 S. Main-st.

Snow White Irish Linen—what would please her more? And linen prices are surprisingly low this Christmas, too, at Bluem's.

Has she a perfumizer for her dressing table. She would appreciate one with Cetty's L'Origan, like those Bluem's are showing.

The things that are small are some times appreciated most. Handkerchiefs are in this class. The prices are lower and the qualities better at Bluem's.

SURPRISE her with an Electric Sew-Light outfit for $5.00. Also electric and portable sewing machines, $60 and up. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 226 S. Main. Phone Main 4127.

Wrapping Paper for Xmas parcels. Beautiful white, bleached, large sheets 10c roll. Allen Paper Co., 112 E. High.

You can find numberless gifts for her in the Art Shop at Bluem's. Come in and get suggestions.

When you are all gone and it is raining and Mother's umbrella is torn, she can't go shopping unless you give her one for Christmas, and you can be sure that she will appreciate it. Bluem's have a fine selection.

Your Xmas cards purchased early will give you the benefit of unlimited selections. Schell's Book Store. No finer and more complete stocks could be found in the larger cities.

10 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ALL Venetian laces, Russian, cluny, all kinds of imported laces and filet trimmed crepe de chine underwear, at the Regent Art Shop, Regent Bldg.

SLIPS FOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT will be sure to please. Different styles and in the most popular shades—fawn, taupe and beaver. Kinney's, W. High-st.

SATIN HATS, FUR TRIMMED OR with flowers. Early spring models. Peg-Bell Hat Shop, 224 S. Main.

GRAND STUDIO, 132 E. HIGH—24 hours service for our Xmas pictures on cabinet and postcard mountings. Studio open day or night.

BLANKETS WILL MAKE A PLEASing Xmas gift. We have a 72x84 very heavy cotton blanket for $2.48, a 72x84, 75 per cent wool blanket is $3.98. The Chicago Credit House.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

GIFTS FOR HIM 11B

Don't you think that he would appreciate a traveling bag, leather lined, much more than something to wear. You can get them very reasonable at Bluem's too.

GIFT SUGGESTION for the Boy's First Christmas—Savings Bank Book and Bank. The Lima Trust Co. "The Bank That Serves."

A gift that's sure to please. Send The Lima News to your out of town friends.

A hand bag or suit case would make him or her a fine Xmas present. Largest line of traveling goods in city at Michael's.

HOUSE Slippers for the man of the house. Many different styles to select from at Kinney's, W. High-st.

JUST A SUGGESTION FOR HIM—Campers, Caps and Malt Extracts at Biddinger's, 141 S. Main.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

GIFTS FOR HIM 11B

Make this his happiest Xmas by getting him a Harley-Davidson, Yale or Snell Bicycle at Poage & Sellers, 136 N. Union.

We suggest buying him a shirt for his Christmas gift. Silk shirt specials at $7 and $8.50. Lloyd E. Applas, 108 W. Market.

A scholarship at Lima Business College. The most practical gift for your boy.

Give lasting gifts—get them at Basinger's Removal Sale of Jewelry—20 to 50% saved on every purchase.

Every man who travels to any extent whatever likes to own a fine trunk. Look over the selections at Bluem's and see if you don't agree that he should have one this Christmas.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

GIFTS FOR THE CHILDREN 11C

RANGER Bicycles, domestic and imported toys, chemistry, electric motors, Clapp, Eastman and Murdock Radio supplies. Advice given on how to build any radio set. Crossley's, 207 S. Main-st.

Her Dolly is the main gift at Christmas and without one it would be no Christmas at all. Look over the large selection at Bluem's Doll Shop before choosing—you may find just what she wants there.

The Lima News sent to your boy or girl away from home is sure to please.

Your daughter asked for a Harley-Davidson Bicycle. Get her one this Xmas. Poage & Sellers, 136 N. Union.

A gift that's sure to please. Send The Lima News to your out of town friends.

REAL DOLLS THAT WON'T BREAK no matter what you do with them. Some with mama voices and other just crying babies. They have natural hair wigs, too. Berry's Doll Hospital, 332 W. North-st.

CHILDREN LOVE "SNOOKUM," THE great Indian character doll at Johnson's Gift Shoppe, 111 W. North.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

GIFTS FOR THE HOME 11D

Oriental rugs, mats, small or room size, are something that the whole family will be proud of. They range from $10 upwards this year at the special Oriental Rug Sale at Bluem's. Royal Sarouks at $29.

A player piano or a Brunswick phonograph make a fine gift for the home. Maus Piano Co.

Bibles and Testaments, Scofield, Oxford, Holman, Nelson Revised, Weymouth, Prayer Books, Bible Dictionaries, Concordances, Peloubets and Tarbell's Notes, Books for Boys, Girls, Adults, Popular Copyrights 85c. Booklets, Stationery, various other gifts. Webb Book & Bible Co., 141 W. Spring.

THE FAMOUS JEWEL GLASS IN many new colors and shapes at Johnson's Gift Shoppe, 111 W. North.

YOU WILL FIND IN OUR SELECtion of white enamel bread and cake boxes, flour cans and spice boxes, a most acceptable gift for the modern housewife. Spyker's Hardware Co.

Electrical Gifts of Percolators Toasters, Grills, Irons and Lamps for the home at The Wentworth Dean Co.

YOU WILL FIND GREAT VALUES at our rug sale. 9x12 rugs for $9.95, $24.50 and a $60 rug now only $29.75. The Chicago Credit House, 313 S. Main-st.

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

DINNER AND DECORATIONS 11E

Christmas dinner won't be complete without pastry and cake from the Purity Bakery. Special Fruit Cake for Christmas. 456 S. Main. High 1560.

Beautifully decorated book-ends in the wood and metal and many Roycroft hand made things along with the finest selection of books in the city. Schell's Book Store.

Cut Flowers, Xmas wreaths and table and home decorations at The Flower Shop, N. Main-st. Main 3422.

Home Made Fruit Cakes, English Plum Puddings and Mince Meat. Place your holiday orders now. Home Dairy, 132 W. High. Lake 3361.

Electric Christmas tree decorations at Wentworth & Dean.

16 HOUSES FOR RENT

FIVE ROOM HOUSE, S. MAIN, MODern except furnace, rent $12. Call at 656 W. Elm or telephone Main 4788.

FOR RENT—7 ROOM BRICK HOUSE on W. Wayne. Phone Rice 6160.

FOR RENT—7 ROOM DWELLING S. Broadway, modern except furnace, newly papered and painted. Call Main 1055 after 5:30, Thursday morning.

FOR RENT—9 ROOM HOUSE, MODern except furnace. 520 S. Main $25.00. Inquire C. T. Flynn, 915 S. Main.

18 APTS & FLATS (For Rent)

FOR RENT—5 ROOM MODERN apartment in Terrace Court, Cor. Murphy and Elizabeth. Call Rice 5457.

20 MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—STORAGE ROOM ON B. & O. tracks. Inquire V. Cardosi, Main 4251.

21 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE

50 shares of the Lima Coal Co. at a bargain. Write Mr. Stock, in care of News.

22 HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE—1 GENERAL PURPOSE horse, bright bay. Will sel lat a bargain if sold at once. Call evenings, 508 S. Pine-st.

28 BUSINESS NOTICES

SHOES RE-BUILT
with
MODERN MACHINERY
by
EXPERT REPAIRMAN
at
516 NORTH MAIN STREET
JOHN RICHTER

28 BUSINESS NOTICES

CLEVENGER & SON
GENERAL SHEET METAL WORK
Roofing Spouting Furnaces
Auto radiator repair work also.
Let us give you estimates.
320 S. MAIN ST. RICE 2572

YOUR PORTRAIT

The most distinctive Xmas present. Arrange for sitting now.

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117 E. MARKET
First Class Work and Lowest prices
Panco Soles 75c
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FLEX-A-TILE ROOFING,
Spouting and Furnace Repairing

W. J. JACKMAN
321 N. Central Ave.
Phone Rice 3451

10c PARCEL DELIVERY 10c

If buying groceries, dry goods or any articles where they have no delivery, call Rose's Parcel Delivery. Articles delivered anywhere in city, 10c.

PHONE MAIN 5503
Leave orders at 120 E. Market St.

C. F. WOOLERY

Tuner and repairer of pianos. Years of experience should be a sufficient guarantee. Call me for prices. Phone Main 4156. 806 N. Jameson Ave.

29 SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE

THE FOLLOWING UNCLAIMED ANsers to advertisements are at our office and will be destroyed if not called for within one week:
Boxes 13, 14, 18, 29, 33, 35, 37, 38, 40, 42, 56, 59, 60, 66, 67, 68, 72, 73, 76, 78, 79, 83, 87, 97, 98; C. E. H. T. WA, RM, BBM, WWF, XYZ, R. D. Mills.

30 HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS

For Your Evening Meal
Fresh Fried, Select

OYSTERS

Six great big fat fine Oysters fried in corn meal the moment you order them—about as appetizing a "piece de resistance" as any oyster fancier could wish—with plenty of ketchup too—these fine oysters are 25c for a half dozen.

CAFETERIA
Waldo Hotel Building
N. E. Corner Public Square

BUSY XMAS SHOPPERS WILL find Hotel Norval 65c noon-day luncheon a great convenience.

31 TRANSFER AND STORAGE

YOUNG BROS.
114 E. MARKET ST.
LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE MOVING
COVERED TRUCKS
REASONABLE RATES,
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
RICE 2429—Phones—STATE 2510

MOVING AND LIVERY

Satisfaction Guaranteed
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116 South Union Street
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MOVING AND STORAGE
Local and long distance hauling. Largest van in Lima, satisfaction guaranteed. Prices right.

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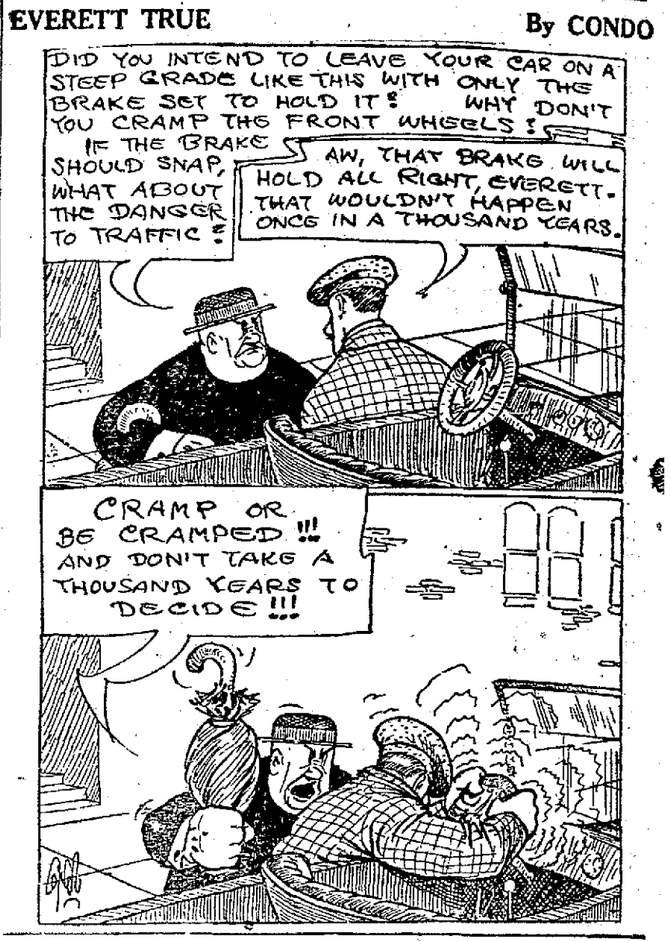

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ARMSTRONG & SON STORAGE COMPANY
One of the best storage houses in Lima, steam heated. Household goods a specialty. Our own truck, also long distance moving. 403-411 N. Main St.

32 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

LOWER PRICES

than ever known, on used cars. Come, See. We trade and give E-Z terms.
1914 Ford touring, dirt cheap.
1916 Ford roadster, winter top.
1918 Ford Sedan, 1st class.
1919 Ford Touring A-1.
1920 Ford Touring, like new.
1918 Saxon roadster, none better.
1915 Overland touring. Your price.
1918 Overland 90 truck, real buy.
buy.
Cadillac truck. Make offer.
WEST SIDE USED CAR CO.
Rear 126 N. Metcalf St.
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OTHERS BUY
RE-BUILT CARS
FROM US, WHY NOT YOU?

SEE THESE SPECIAL VALUES
Reo Touring Ford Touring
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—Terms If Desired—

LIMA NASH CO.
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BUICK
"Everlastingly Good"
1918 Buick Touring, E-45, overhauled, winter top.
1918 Studebaker Touring, overhauled, new paint.
1918 Cole Touring, new paint, tires good.
Dodge Touring.
Buick 1918 Touring.
1916 Cadillac Touring.
THE STURTEVANT-JONES COMPANY
320 W. MARKET ST. MAIN 6896

TIRE SPECIALS
34x4* Used Cords .. $5.00 to $30.00
35x5 Used Cords .. $5.00 to $40.00
35x5 New 6000 Mile Fabric $21.00
30x3* Goodrich, Diamond, U. S. Chain, while they last $12.00
33x4 Goodyear, Fisk, Rib Cord, while they last $25.00
32x4 Fisk Rib Cord $25.00
32x4 and 33x4 odd lot 6000 mile Fabric, N. S. $15.00
THE SEVIER TIRE CO.
116 W. Spring St.

ALLEN COUNTY'S ECONOMY TIRE STORE

Our rent is low and our prices are low. You benefit by this, as the quality of our tires is high.
—A FEW OF OUR PRICES—
30x3 ..... $ 6.25
30x3½ 8.25
31x4 ..... 13.25
32x4½ 16.00
33x4½ 17.00

ALLEN COUNTY TIRE CO.
Economy Is Our Slogan
324½ NORTH MAIN STREET
(FIRST FLOOR)

32 AUTOS AND SUPPLIES

ARMATURE WINDING MOTOR REPAIRING
QUICK SERVICE
FIRST CLASS MECHANICS
TIBBOTT ELECTRIC CO.
128 N. ELIZABETH ST.
MAIN 2431

CARS OVERHAULED
Our garage foreman will estimate the cost upon examination. No charge for inspection.
Winter Car storage—heated
NASH SERVICE STATION.
133 Cherry Alley—Rear Sigma.

NOTICE

We have started an Auto Laundry in rear of 114 N. Elizabeth St., formerly the Armstrong Garage; all work guaranteed and prices right. Phone Main 3172.
CENTRAL AUTO LAUNDRY

USED CAR FOR SALE

1918 Haynes Touring, newly painted. All new tires. Positively guaranteed condition in every way. Worth at least $1200, but will sell at $800. Part cash and balance on note, or will take in Ford, any model as first cash payment and balance on note.

C. C. REIS
AT FORD AGENCY

AUTO STORAGE—$5 PER MO.
In heated down-town garage.
GENERAL REPAIR WORK
and AUTO LAUNDRY

METROPOLITAN GARAGE
127 E. SPRING ST. MAIN 6192

AUTO OWNERS—5000 MILES MORE out of your old casing for $3.75. Phone State 3719 for demonstration. A. C. Stevens.

DEPENDABLE USED CARS

1—1920 Dodge Brothers Touring.
2—1918 Dodge Brothers Touring.
1—1918 Chalmers Touring.
1—1915 Dodge Brothers Touring.
1—1920 Dodge Brothers Roadster.
1—1919 Ford Touring.

THE D. D. JONES CO.
322-327 N. ELIZABETH ST.
PHONE MAIN 5966

WE REPAIR RADIATORS OF ALL kinds, also make new ones for any kind of car.

CLEVELAND AUTO RADIATOR COMPANY
107 E. Wayne St. Phone Main 5557

FOR SALE

Studebaker sedan in first class condition; will sell or trade on light car. Best bargain in city; must be sold before Jan. 1. Call Lake 5098 or at 1071 W. Spring. Can be seen at any time.

FOR SALE—1920 FORD TOURING car. Looks like new. Has had very little use and is priced to sell. If interested call at 639 E. Franklin-st. afternoons.

33x4 Cord N. S.
FISK TIRE, $31.50
KILGORE TIRE AND VULCANIZING SHOP
119 E. Spring St. Lima, O.

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ADVERTISING CUT COSTS CREDIT

St. Louis Banker Tells of Action In Client's Case

MANY WAITING FOR CHANGE

This is Slothful Man's Method, Forbes Says

(BY B. C. FORBES.)

NEW YORK.—(Special.)— Festus J. Wade, the conspicuously successful St. Louis banker, tells how his bank cut down one client's line of credit because the client had unwisely cut down his advertising appropriation.

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The salesman entered an industrial concern in Passaic, N. J., this week and offered something which the manager admitted would be of great value to them. "But," added the manager, "We won't give you an order now, as we are lying awake o'nights thinking only of how we can cut down things to the very bone. Come back next month and see if things have changed."

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Note that phrase, "and see if things have changed." Do not far too many men have the notion that "things change" and do not far too few realize that things have to be changed? It is the mentally dull and physically lazy man who sits back and waits for things to change. The mentally keen and physically energetic man acts about making things change. Changes for the better have to be brought about. Changes that come about thru inaction usually are changes for the worse.

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Is it not time, too, that the attention of business men switch from cutting down, curtailment, retrenchment, to constructive, progressive efforts?

No enterprize ever attained the fullest possible stature solely by pursuing a policy of cheeseparing, retrenchment and contraction. True, many extravagances and much waste crept—it would be more correct to say galloped—into doing business in many, many directions when everything was booming along gaily. The need for applying the pruning knife was very great when the collapse came. The best-managed concerns, however, did their pruning promptly, vigorously, effectively, and got it over with. Then they were able to concentrate all their efforts upon the procuring of business to keep their organization going.

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Since New Year is the time for making recolutions, how does this suggestion strike you?

Let the chiefs of our business organizations get all their associates and, if possible, all their salesmanagers, and salesmen together and impress some such thought as this upon them. "The last eighteen months have been a period of recession in business. Like almost everybody else, we have had to retrench. The period for drawing in our horns, however, is now past. Let us make up our minds to go forward and grow. Let us cease looking backward and direct our whole energies to looking forward and forging forward. We have completed our readjustment; we are now on a sound, solid basis. Let us go forward with firm determination. The way to find business is to go after it. In the classic words of Will Hays, our dynamic Postmaster General, 'Let's go.'"

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Cyrus H. K. Curtis, the notably successful publisher, once made this sage comment to me when I remarked that a certain business suggestion he made to me would cost quite a bit of money to put into operation. "Don't think only of what a thing costs. Think of what the returns will be if you make the expenditure."

Another extremely successful publisher, William Randolph Hearst, is at this moment actively following the course here suggested. Instead of retrenching he is going forward with constructive policies.

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Not men who like Napoleon, "make circumstances" don't fold their hands and wait until "things change." They apply themselves to bringing about the kind of change they desire.

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How is it with you?

(Copyright, 1921.)

MRS. SIMPSON FUNERAL AT CRIDERSVILLE SATURDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. Simpson, 81, who died Wednesday, will be held Saturday at 1 p. m. at the Lutheran church near Cridersville. The Rev. W. J. Spring will officiate. Interment will be made in the cemetery nearby.

Mrs. Simpson died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Welch, southwest of Buckland, Wednesday at 3 p. m. For two years she has made her home with Mrs. Welch. William Simpson and Mrs. Edward Cooper, Union City, Ind., are other children surviving.

The husband and four children preceded her. David Feigley and Mrs. M. Gilgore, both of Climax, Ohio, brother and sister, survive, with 11 grand-children and six great grand-children. Since eleven years of age Mrs. Simpson had been a member of the Methodist church.

OHIO INCORPORATIONS

Zucker Lefkowitz Co., Cleveland, $25,000; William C. Zucker, Isador Lefkowitz.

Vassar Market Co., Cleveland, $1,000; M. L. Harrington, Alfred A. Benesch.

H. & R. Groceries Co., Cleveland, $3,000; B. adison, M. Welensky.

Royal Plumbing Co., Cleveland, $10,000; Henry S. Gottfried, Jos. S. Silber.

Cleveland Cameron Gas Co., Cleveland, $20,000; Charles Follett, Orville Smith.

Kux Bleiweiss Co., Cleveland, $10,000; A. W. Harman, Martin Kux.

Ambassador Realty Co., Cleveland, $10,000; Abner L. Cohen, William B. Cohen.

Shullo Construction Co., Akron, $50,000; Steve Frslow, Harry Shullo.

Rucker and Erb Co., Cleveland, $50,000; Jacob G. Edb, C. E. Cowley.

Increased:

National Macaroni Co., Cleveland, from $1,000 to $50,000.

BUY HER FLWERS FOR XMAS. PHONE MAIN 5700. COLONIAL FLOWER STORE.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

(Reported by E. W. Wagner & Co., Citizens Building)

STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	2 P M
Am. Can	34½	34⅞	34½	34⅞
Am. C. & F.	146	146	145	145¾
Am. H. & L.	15⅝	15⅞	15½	15½
Am. Int. Corp.	42¾	43⅝	42¾	42⅞
Am. Linseed	31¼	31½	31¼	31½
Am. Loco.	99	100¼	98½	100
Am. Smelt.	47	47	46	46
Am. Stl. Fdry.	34⅛	34⅛	34	34
Am. Sug. Ref.	54	54	52⅝	53¼
Am. T. & T.	117⅝	117⅝	117	117
Am. Woolen	81⅝	82½	81½	81½
Am. Zinc	14¼	14¼	14	14
Ana. Cop.	49⅝	49⅞	49¼	49½
Atchison	90⅝	92	90⅝	91½
At. Gulf & WI.	34⅝	34⅝	33¾	33¾
Baldwin Loco.	97½	98⅝	96¼	97⅝
B. & O.	35½	35¾	35	35¼
Butte C. & Z.	5⅞	6	5⅞	6
Cal. Pet.	48⅝	48⅞	47¾	48
Can. Pac.	120⅞	121⅜	120⅝	121⅜
Cent. Leather	31⅝	31⅞	31¼	31¼
Chandler	50½	50⅞	50½	50½
C. & O.	56⅝	56⅞	55⅞	55⅞
C. M. & St. P.	19½	20	19¼	20
Chile Cop.	16⅝	16⅝	15¾	15¾
Chino Cop.	25⅞	29¼	25⅛	25½
Col. G. & E.	67¼	67½	66¾	67
Col. Graph.	3	.....	.....	3
Con. Gas	92	.....	.....	92
Corn Prods.	97½	98¼	96¾	97½
Cosden	36	36⅝	36	36
Cru. Steel	68¼	68¼	67⅝	67⅞
C. C. Sug.	7	.....	.....	7
Erie R. R.	10½	10⅝	10½	10⅝
Fisk R.	12	12⅝	12¾	12¾
Gen. Elec.	141½	.....	.....	141½
Gen. Elec.	141½	.....	.....	141½
Gen. Motors	11¼	11¾	11	11⅛
Goodrich R.	37½	37½	37	37
Inspr. Cop.	41½	42¾	41⅝	42¼
Ind. Alcohol	39⅝	39⅞	39¼	39¼
Int. M. M. Pfd.	65	65½	64¼	64¼
Int. Paper	56⅝	56½	55½	55½
Int. Nickel	12⅝	12⅞	12½	12½
Island Oil	2⅞	.....	.....	2⅞
Kelly Spring.	44¼	44½	44	44
Kenn. Cop.	27⅝	27⅝	26¾	26¾

STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	2 P M
K. C.-Sou.	23¾	23⅞	23⅝	23⅞
L. & N.	108⅞	109½	108⅞	109½
Lack. Steel	47	.....	.....	47
Mex. Pet.	116¾	117½	116¾	116¾
Miami Cop.	28	28	27⅝	27⅝
Mid. Steel	28¾	28¾	28¼	28¼
Mid. Sts. Oil	15	16	14¾	14¾
Mo. Pac.	17½	17½	17⅛	17⅛
Nevada Cop.	15⅝	15⅝	14⅞	14⅞
N. Y. C.	73	73¾	73	73¼
N. & W.	97½	98¼	97¼	98¼
Nor. Pac.	78¾	79¼	78⅝	79⅛
Pan. Am. Pet.	55	55⅝	54⅝	55¼
Penn. R. R.	32⅞	33	32⅞	33
Pere Marq.	20½	20¾	20½	20¾
Pierce Arrow	14¼	14¼	14⅛	14⅛
Pierce Oil	13⅛	13⅜	13	13
Pullman	107¾	108¼	107½	107½
Pure Oil	39½	39⅝	39¼	39¼
Ray Con.	15¾	15⅞	15¾	15¾
Reading	71⅝	72½	71⅝	72⅝
Rep. I. & S.	53½	54	53½	53¾
Roy. D. N. Y.	51¼	53	51	51¼
Sears-Roebuck	58¾	59¼	58¼	58⅞
Sinclair Oil	22⅝	23½	22½	23¼
So. Pac.	79⅝	80⅝	79½	80¼
So. Ry.	18⅞	19	18⅞	18
Stl. & S. F.	21¼	21½	21	21⅜
Stromberg	35⅝	36¾	35½	35½
Studebaker	81⅞	92¼	91¼	91⅝
Tenn. Cop.	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜
Texas Oil	47¾	48	47⅝	47⅞
Texas Pac.	23¼	23⅞	23¼	23⅞
Union Pac.	126	126¾	126	126⅝
Un. Rst. Strs.	52	53¾	51⅞	52¾
U. S. Rub.	56½	56½	55⅝	56
U. S. Steel	84⅝	85	84⅝	84¾
Utah Cop.	65	65	64⅞	64⅞
Van. Steel	32¼	32½	32	32¼
Wabash	6⅞	7	6⅞	7
Western Union	91¾	91¾	90⅞	91
Wabash "A" Pfd.	20½	20¾	20½	20¾
Westinghouse	51½	51⅝	51	51⅝
White Motors	35¾	.....	.....	35¾
Willys-Overland	6	6¼	6	6
Call Money	5	5½	5	5½

Sales for four hours were 683,000.

LOCO ISSUES DOWN 1 TO 2 POINTS

Selling Pressure Directed Against These Stocks

LIBERTY BONDS
(Courtesy The Wheatley Co.)

3½'s	$ 95.00
Second 4's	96.84
First 4¼'s	97.28
Second 4¼'s	96.94
Third 4¼'s	97.98
Fourth 4¼'s	97.22
Victory 3¾'s	100.00
Victory 4¾'s	100.02

NEW YORK — Features of interest were presented at the opening of today's stock market. The general list displayed little of yesterday's unusual acticity. Foreign oils, especially the Dutch group were heavy, Pan-American Petroleum also easing. Metals reacted slightly, the Anaconda-American Brass deal evidently having been discounted. Bethlehem Steel was the only prominent stock to show marked strength, rising 1 5-8 points. Houston Oil, California Petroleum, Davison Chemical, Sears-Roebuck, Corn Products and Coco Cola were firm to strong. Foreign exchanges showed urther irregularity on the German reparations situation.

Call money opened and renewed into next week at five per cent but possible recurrence of yesterday's six per cent rate acted as a check on operations for the long account during the morning. Selling pressure was directed against secondary equipments, notably Lima Locomotive, Railway Steel Spring and Pressed Steel Car at reactions of one to two points. Baldwin Locomotive, Federal Mining and Smelting preferred, American Sugar, National Biscuit, United Fruit, and Western Union yielded to the same extent. Prices rallied partly before noon, the cheaper domestic oils, motor specialties and tobaccos leading the recovery. American International, International Paper, International Harvester and Famous Players also were firm. The bond market was dull and featureless.

Gains exceeded losses in the stock market today, but the lack of public interest was reflected in the hesitant tone of standard issues. Sales approximated 800,000 shares.

The closing was irregular. Government and other active bonds eased on moderate dealings.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

(Reported by E. W. Wagner & Co.)

STOCKS—	Bid	Asked
Anglo-American Oil Co.	21¼	21⅝
Borne Scrymser	320	330
Buckeye Pipe Line	83	85
Chesebrough Mg.	180	190
Continental Oil	122	126
Crescent Pipe Line	28	30
Cumberland Pipe Line	120	130
Eureka Pipe Line	78	80
Galena-Sig. (Com.)	39	41
Galena-Sig. (Pfd.)	10	105
Galena New (Pfd.)	103	106
Illinois Pipe Line	160	165
Indiana Pipe Line	82	84
Nat. Transit	28½	29½
Northern Pipe Line	92	95
Ohio Oil	270	275
Prairie Oil & Gas	580	590
Prairie Pipe Line	235	240
Solar Refg.	350	360
South Penn. Oil	215	220
Southern Pipe Line	77	80
S. O. Ind. ($25 par)	31¾	32
S. O. Kansas	570	580
S. O. Ky.	440	450
S. O. Neb. (W. I.)	160	170
S. O. New York	376	380
S. O. Ohio	390	400
S. O. Ohio (Pfd.)	112½	114
Swan & Finch	35	45
Vacuum Oil	320	320
Washington Oil	22	28
Atlantic Lobos (Com.)	9½	10
Atlantic Lobos (Pfd.)	40	45
Imperial Oil, Ltd.	112	113
Midwest Refg.	175	185
Penn. Mex. Fuel	17	19

WOOL MARKET

BOSTON—The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say:

There has been a fair demand for wool during the week, which has come to a fair extent from the mills. Prices are slightly higher again this week both on fine and medium wools. The government will offer 8,000,000 pounds of wool January 5.

"Among the mills there is little change, consumption dropping off considerably. The retail clothiers are beginning to cut prices, more especially on suits. The wool trade is waiting for the opening of goods for the next heavy weight season."

CALL MONEY

NEW YORK — Call money firm; high 5 1-2; low 5; ruling rate 5; closing bid 5; offered at 5 1-2; last loan 5 1-2; call loans against acceptances 4 1-2.

Time loans firm; 60 days 5 and 5 1-4; 90 days 5 and 5 1-4; six months 5 and 5 1-4. Prime mercantile paper 5 and 5 1-4.

FIRST NATIONAL DECLARES SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND

Directors of the First National Bank today declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 4% on their stock, and passed $10,000 to surplus, bringing the surplus account for this fiduciary institution to $100,000.00. Capital and surplus combined $200,000.

RETAIL MARKET QUIET, WITH PRICES THE SAME AS THOSE LAST QUOTED

Retail produce markets are featureless.

No price changes were reported Friday and consumers will probably see this week end with all articles quoted at the same prices as are contained in The Lima News produce list today.

Western apples seem to be about as much in demand as any thing else at this time. All varieties can be bought for from 10 to 15 cents a pound.

Casaba melons are still sticking around at some places, selling at 50 and 60 cents apiece.

LIMA WHOLESALE PRODUCE
(Swift & Company Quotations)

Long Horn Cheese	.21
N. Y. Cream	.25½
Flats	.25
Daisies Cheese, colored	.22½
Twins, colored	.24
Full Cream Brick Cheese	.24
New York Limourger	.29
Fancy Block Swiss	.32
Brookfield Creamery Butter 1 pound cartons	.45
Brookfield Creamery Butter 60 pound tubs	.43
Premium Butterine, 1 pound cartons, N. C.	.24
Challenge Butterine, 1 pound rolls, N. C.	.23
Snowflake Butterine, 1 pound cartons, white	.22½
Gem Butterine, 1 pound cartons, white	.23
Lincoln	.19
Bakeall Butterine, tubs	.17½
Kakebake Butterine, tubs	.17½
Bakers' Pastry, tubs	.17½
Broilers, 2 lb. average, No. 1 quality	.42
Broilers, 2½ lb. average, No. 1 quality	.54
Heavy Fowls	.35
Light Fows	.28
Spring Chickens	.32½
Fresh Eggs	.68
Brookfield Eggs	.15
Banner Eggs	.42

RETAIL PRODUCE

Oysters (standards, qt.	.80	Carrots	.05
Oysters (standards, pt.	.40	Dry onions	.10
Oysters, selects qt.	.90	Radishes, each	.15
Oysters, selects pt.	.45	New cababge head	.07
Eggs, strictly fresh, doz.	.70	Kraut cabbage	.05
Fresh Holly, lb.	.18	New English walnuts, lb.	.45, .50
Eggs, Sept. doz.	.50	Grapes, lb.	.40, .45, .50
Pie Pumpkins	.15-.25	Sweet potatoes per lb.	.05
Rutabagas, lb.	.05	Spanish onions lb.	.15
Hot house cucumbers, ea	.35	Parsnips, lb.	.07½
Creamery Butter	.52	No. 2 potatoes	.35
Country But-Butter	.52	Mango peppers apiece	.10
Cranberries lb.	.25, .30	All kinds Western apples, lb.	.10, .12½, .15
Leaf lettuce	.30	Casaba melons	.50, .60
Head lettuce	.40	Limes, doz.	.10
Lemons, doz.	.40	Grapefruit, 2 and 3 for	.25
New Brazil nuts, lb.	.35	Endive, lb.	.25
Oranges, doz.	.50, .60, .70	New corn meal, 5 lb.	.10
Bananas	.11	Spinach, lb.	.20
Green and white wax beans lb	.25	Cauliflower head	.10, .30
Parsley, bunch	.05	Beets, lb.	.05
Hubbard Squash lb.	.04	Turnips, lb.	.05

Meats and Provisions

Round steak	.25	Boiled ham	.60
Sirloin	.30	Veal steak	.50
Porterhouse	.35, .45	Veal chops	.40
Rib roast	.30	Veal loaf	.35
Pork chops	.25, .30	Dried beef	.70
Pork steak	.40	Spring lamb chops	.50
Loin pork roast	.30	Shoulder chops	.25
Center cut ham	.50	Spring chickens dressed	.40

CLEVELAND—Butter, extra in tubs .50½@.51; prints .51½@.52; extra firsts .49½@.50; firsts .45½@.49; seconds .40½@.41; packing stock .27@.28. Eggs, fresh gathered northern extras .56; extra firsts .56; Ohio firsts new cases .53; old, .52; Western firsts new cases .51; refrigerator extra .49; first .38. Oleomargarine pound prints nut oleo 21@.24; high grade made of animal oils 24@.24½; lower grades .20@.21. Cheese, York state .24@.26; brick .25@.28; fancy Swiss .35@.50; long horn (Wisconsin) .25@.27; limburger .25@.28. Poultry, live heavy fowls .23@.26; light .16@18; roosters .45; spring chickens culls .16@.18; choice .23; live spring ducks .25@.28; turkeys .15@.18, live geese .20@.27 Rabbits 5.00@6.00 doz. jacks $4.00 a dozen. Potatoes 3.00@3.15 a sack of 150 lbs.; Michigan 2.90 a sack of 150 lbs.; Early Ohios 2.75 a two bushel sack; Red River 2.50@2.60 per 120 lb. sack; fancy Westerns four cents lb. Sweet potatoes, Jersey 2.20 a hamper; Delawares 1.70 a hamper.

CHICAGO—Butter, unsettled; creamery extras .42½; firsts .34½@.41; seconds .32@.33; standards 37. Eggs, lower; receipts 3,339 cases; firsts .19@.46; ordinary firsts .40@.42; miscellaneous .42@.44; refrigerator firsts .35. Poultry, alive, unsettled, fowls .24@.32½; springs .21, turkeys .28, roosters .13½.

NEW YORK — Live poultry steady. Geese .23@.26; ducks .23@.26, fowls .20@.30; turkeys .42@.50; roosters .15; broilers .30@.35. Butter weaker, receipts 5,377; creamery extra .44@.44½; special market .44¾@.45½; state dairy tubs .30@.43½. Eggs, steady, receipts 8,504; nearby white fancy .75; nearby mixed fancy .42@.65; fresh firsts .50@.60.

LOCOMOTIVE STOCK ATTAINS HIGH POINT

Lima Locomotive Works stock reached its highest levels on the New York Stock Exchange Friday afternoon, shortly before the close.

Common was bid at 100; asked 101 1-2. Preferred, 100 bid and 104 3-4 asked.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK.—Demand sterling opened today at $4.16 1-8; francs .0738; lire .0454; marks .0051 1-3.

Holly and Wreaths at Dorsey's.

CHANGE IN WHEAT PRICES SLIGHT

Rain in Kansas and Oklahoma Has Bearish Effect

MODEL MILLS

No. 1 Spring Wheat	$1.30
No. 1 Winter Wheat	1.15
Corn (new) per hundred	.75
No. 1 Oats	.34
Pride of Lima, ¼ bbl.	1.85
Pride of Lima, ⅛ bbl.	.95
Model Best, ¼ bbl.	2.10
Model Best, ⅛ bbl	1.05
Choice Family, ¼ bbl.	1.60
Choice Family, ⅛ bbl.	.80
Charm, ¼ bbl.	2.20
Charm, ⅛ bbl.	1.10

CHICAGO — Wheat averaged lower in price today during the early dealings, the market being bearishly affected by news of some rain in Kansas and Oklahoma, and by general rain in other parts of the winter crop belt. Besides, the Kansas state report added 15,000,000 bushels to the yield as estimated in the August report. Bearish crop figures from Argentina were also given notice. Opening quotations which varied from the same as yesterday's finish to 3-4c lower with May $1.12 to 1.12 3-8 and July $1.03 to 1.03 1-8, were followed by a moderate general setback and then by rails which, however, failed to hold.

Corn and oats were relatively firm, influenced more or less by prospective Russian relief demand. After opening 1-8 off to 3-8 higher, May 53 1-8 to 53 1-4, the corn market hardened a little all around.

Oats started unchanged to 1-4 higher, May 37 3-4 to 37 7-8 and then scored slight general gains.

Provisions were easier in line with hogs.

The wheat finish was unsettled, 5-8 net lower to 1-4 advance with May $1.12 3-4 to 1.12 7-8 and July $1.02 5-8 to 1.02 3-4.

The corn close was unsettled 1-8 off to 1-4 advance with May 53 to 53 1-8.

GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec.	1.07⅝	1.08½	1.07¼	1.07¾
May	1.12⅜	1.13¼	1.12	1.12⅞
July	1.03⅛	1.03½	1.02½	1.02¾
CORN—				
Dec.	.46⅝	.46⅞	.46½	.46⅝
May	.53¼	.53¼	.52¾	.53
July	.54⅜	.55	.53⅞	.54½
OATS—				
Dec.	.32¼	.32½	.32¼	.32½
May	.37⅞	.38	.37¾	.38
July	.35⅛	.35⅝	.35⅛	.35⅝
PORK—				
Jan.	nom.			14.70
LARD—				
Jan.	8.50	8.55	8.47	8.55
May	8.90	8.97	8.90	8.97
RIBS—				
Jan.	nom.			7.55
May	nom.			7.85

TOLEDO—Wheat, cash and Dec. 1.17; May 1.25; July 1.05¾. Corn .53. Oats, .34. Barley, .63. Rye, .86. Clover seed, prime cash and Dec. 12.75; January 12.85; Feb. 12.50; March 12.65. Alsike, prime cash and Dec. 11.00; Feb. and March 11.15. Timothy, prime cash and Dec. 3.05; Jan. 3.07½; Feb. 3.17½. March 3.20.

CINCINNATI — Wheat, 1.24@1.25. Corn, .53@.54. Oats, steady, .31@.39. Rye, steady, .84@.85. Potatoes, home grown 4.00@4.50 per bbl.; No. 2 2.25@2.50 per bbl., Michigan 3.50@3.75 per 150 lb. sack; Ohio 2.50@2.75 per 120 lb. sack. Hay 15.00@21.00.

BONUS IS DELAYED

Checking Ohio Applications Holds Up the Payments

COLUMBUS — (By United Press) —Hope of paying Ohio soldiers their bonus this year, was abandoned today by Attorney General Price.

Delay in checking applications will hold up payment for some weeks, Price said, altho the first $20,000,000 of the bonds will be on sale within the next few days.

One of the points under discussion in connection with the payment of the bonus, Price said, was whether time spent in training camps should be classed as "active service."

None of the money from the sale of the bonds will be used in paying expenses incidental to completion of the compensation, Price said.

"The money for retiring the bonds for paying the interest and for overhead expenses will be raised by a special tax levy," Price declared.

Price predicted the $20,000,000 first issue would be sold quickly. He was uncertain, however, how soon the additional $5,000,000 would be released.

SHIPS CAPTURED

French Vessels Are Seized by Spanish Gunboat

MADRID. — (By Associated Press.)—The Spanish gunboat Boniface has captured two French sailing vessels which were conveying consignments of arms and munitions to the Moroccan insurgents and sunk another vessel engaged in the same occupation, it was announced in an official report received here today.

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK—Raw sugar market steadier.

Raw sugar futures easier, declines of one to four points. Refined sugar easier, prices ten points lower to basis of $5.10 for fine granulated. Refined futures nominal.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Jennie Swaney whose last known place of residence was Susquanna, N. J. will take notice that James Swaney has filed his petition for divorce on grounds of more than three years wilful absence Cause No 20173 in Allen County Court of Common Pleas

Said cause will be for hearing on and after January 27, 1922, unless she appear and answer said petition.

James Swaney, by C. J. Brotherton, His Attorney.

12-16-6wks.

LEGAL NOTICE

Roscoe P. Cochran, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 17th day of December, 1921, the undersigned as Plaintiff filed her suit against said Roscoe P. Cochran, as Defendant, in the Common Pleas Court of Allen County, Ohio, where same is now pending as Case No. 20175, that in her petition in said cause she prays for a divorce from said defendant on the Ground of Gross Neglect of Duty and for such other relief as the Court may deem proper. Said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks from the first publication hereof.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 16th, 1921.

Hazel Cochran, By Ernest M. Botkin, Her Attorney.

12-16-6wks.

BANK CLEARINGS

Clearings Friday ...$133,082.45
Clearings last Friday $132,472.69
Clearings a year ago $106,315.04

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

(Lima Packing Company Quotations)

HOGS—	
Heavy	.06½
Medium	.07
Sows	.05
Stags	.03 @ 04
CATTLE—	
Good steers 900@1000	.06
Good heifers 800 to 900	.05 @.06½
Good cows	.03½@.04¼
Bulls	.03½@.04

EAST BUFFALO — Cattle, receipts 700; slow, lower. Calves, receipts 1400; steady, 3.00@13.00. Hogs, receipts 9,600; light grades strong; others .25@.50 lower; heavy 7.25@7.75; yorkers 8.00@8.25, light yorkers and pigs 8.50@8.75; roughs 6.00; stags 4.00@5.00. Sheep and lambs, receipts 10,000; lambs and yearlings weak; lambs 5.00@11.50; yearlings 5.00@9.00; others unchanged.

CINCINNATI — Hogs, receipts 7200; slow, steady to .25 lower; heavies 7.00@7.50; packers and butchers 7.50; medium 7.50@8.00; stags 4.00@4.75; heavy fat sows 5.00@6.00; light shippers 8.25. Pigs (110 lbs. and less) 7.00@8.25. Cattle, receipts 1,000, dull and weak, .25@.50 lower. Steers, good to choice 6.00@7.00; fair to good 5.00@6.00; common to fair 4.00@5.00; heifers, good to choice 6.00@7.50; fair to good 5.00@6.00; common to fair 3.50@5.00; cows, good to choice 4.00@5.00; fair to good 3.25@4.00, cutters 2.50@3.00. Calves, .50@1.00 lower. Good to choice 10.50@11.75; general top 11.00; fair to good 7.00@10.50; common and large 3.00@7.00. Sheep, receipts 350; steady, good to choice 3.50@4.00; fair to good 2.50@3.25; common 1.00@1.50; bucks 2.00@3.00. Lambs, weak, good to choice 11.00@11.50, fair to good 8.50@11.00; seconds 7.50@8.00; common 4.50@6.00.

CLEVELAND — Cattle, receipts 500; slow. Calves, receipts 350, .50 lower. Choice veal calves 10.50@11.50; fair to good 8.00@7.50. Sheep and lambs, receipts 2,000, .25 lower. Choice lambs 10.50@11.25; fair to good 8.50@7.50; choice sheep 3.50@4.50; fair to good 2.00@3.00. Hogs, receipts 1,000; steady. Yorkers and pigs and lights 8.00; mixed 7.40; roughs 6.00; stags 4.00.

ALCOHOL AND GASOLINE

CINCINNATI. — Alcohol denatured 43; gasoline tank wagon 23; 70 per cent 33.

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34x4		17.00
32x3½	Cord Tires	18.50
32x4	First Quality	23.50
33x4	Highest Grade	24.50
34x4	None Better	25.50
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30x3½ Goodrich Diamond, U. S. Chain, while they last	$12.00
32x4 Goodrich, Fisk Rib Cord, while they last	$25.00
32x4 Fisk Rib Cord	$25.00
32x4 and 33x4 gold tot 6000 mile Fabric	$15.00

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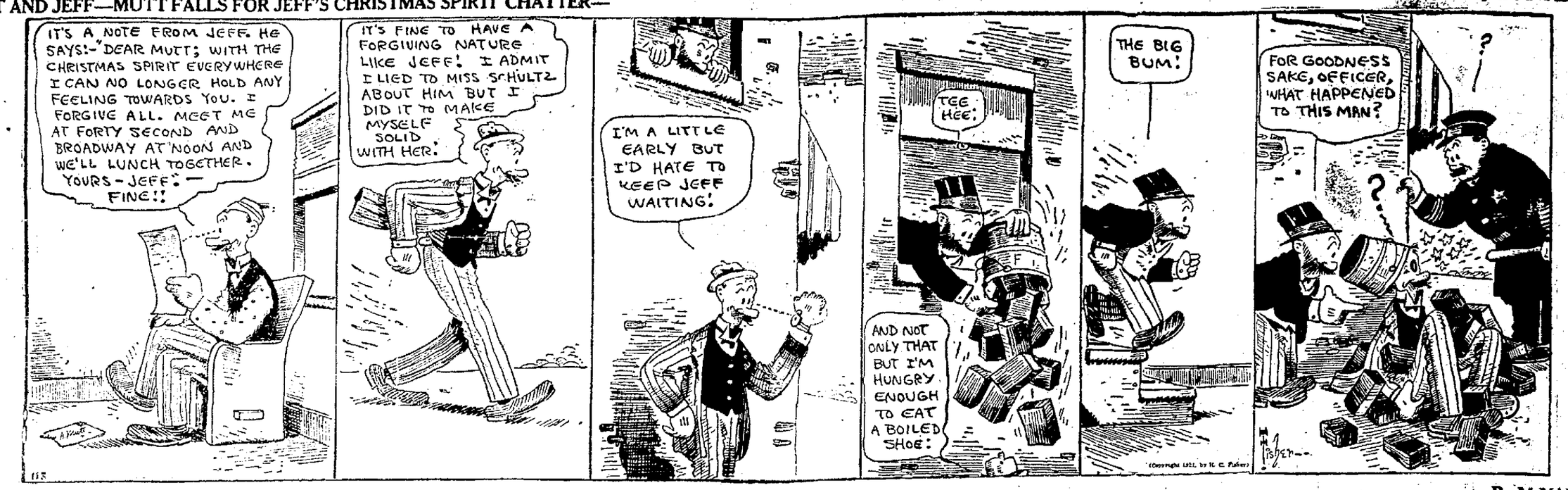
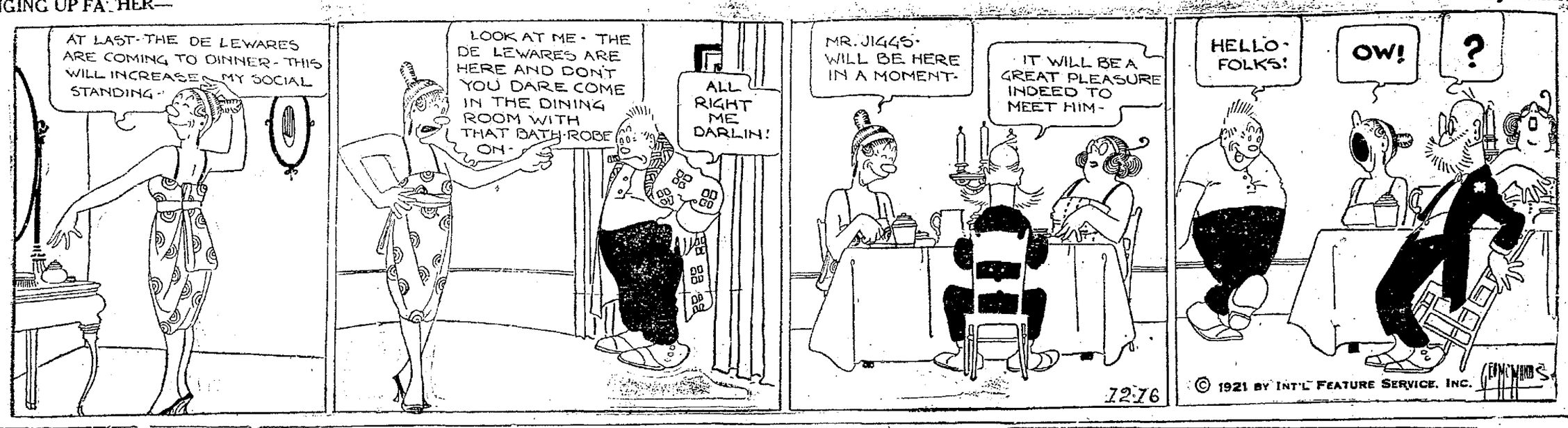


BRINGING UP FATHER— By McMANUS



SHORT SHAVINGS

Ray Buchanan, salesman for a stationary and blank book house, reports the new cook at the house of a friend is an expert with canned goods, at least. "She has a strong right arm," Buchanan says, "and can take the top off a tin can almost in a second." At baking tho, Buchanan says his friend declares she isn't so good. "It's so nice to live on delicatasssen stuff, you know," Buchanan soliloquizes.

Robert E. Clem, former deputy in the office of the clerk of courts, parked his automobile alongside the curb while he attended an evening meeting in a nearby town. When he came out, a young man who had been preparing to steal the car's gasoline skipped so quickly he left a kit of tools behind. Clem reports he is ahead "a length of hose and a can."

Earl Smith, proprietor of the Arcade cigar store, E. Market-st, thot he heard burglars in his home late at night. He went to the head of the stairs, looked down, and called: "Who's there?"

"Later," reports a friend, "he learned he was talking to his hat and coat hanging on a hall tree."

Prof. Robinson, South Hi, was lecturing to a night school class on "The Wonders of Electricity." Everything was going along smoothly when the lights went out and stayed out until the class was dismissed.

F. G. Borges, 1058 W. Elm-st, woke up in the night, lookod at his watch and thought it was 7 a. m. It was only 12:30 a. m. But he didn't discover that until he had dressed, climbed into his automobile and dashed out to the Solar Refining company.

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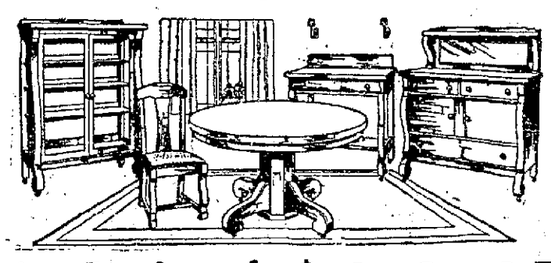

Suite Consists of Table, Buffet and Six Chairs ---- $114.50
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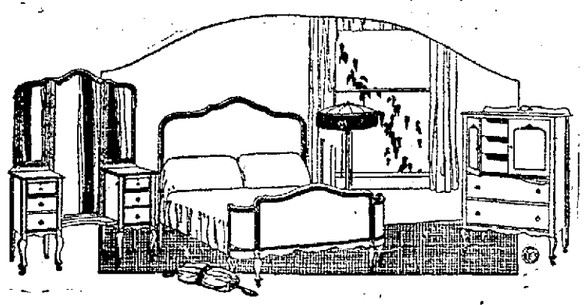

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